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BARTHOLD ROTTLER ON TRIAL TODAY ON CHARGE OF EXTORTION.

Witnesses for Prosecution Were Quickly Disposed of and Officer Goes On the Stand.

HE DENIES EVERY ALLEGATION

Says That Sapolsky Was Anxious to Keep the Case Out of the Newspapers and Offered Him $100, Which He Refused to Accept.

UNIONTOWN, March 17.—Chief of Police Barthold Rottler was placed on trial this morning on charges of extortion preferred against him by Louis Sapolsky, a Connellsville junk dealer. Sapolsky claims Rottler demanded and received $100 from him, agreeing to suppress any prosecution that might be made against the junk man for receiving stolen brass. The Commonwealth closed its case this morning. A large number of witnesses will be called in his defense this afternoon.

The first witness on the stand was the prosecutor, Sapolsky. Sapolsky said Rottler came to him January 10. He said:

"A friend of yours, Milton Andrews, has been arrested for stealing brass." The witness said Rottler and E. S. Russell came to his place of business and looked in the wagon, finding nothing. Thursday he came back, the witness said, saying he had a warrant for him but that Sapolsky could get out of it by paying some money. Rottler is alleged to have told Sapolsky that there was nothing in it for him but volunteered to go down and see what the B. & O. officer would take. He says Rottler returned in the afternoon and said they would take $100 to fix it up. This conversation was carried on in German, in the stable back of Sapolsky's office. Rottler is alleged to have reiterated that there was nothing in it for him, because he did not have enough evidence.

Rottler, witness said, made a date to meet Sapolsky at the Pennsylvania railroad station in Connellsville at 2 o'clock the next afternoon. Sapolsky said he met Rottler there. Sapolsky said he offered a $100 check but the officer refused it and said he wanted the money. Sapolsky said he afterwards met Rottler on Water street and offered him $75. Rottler is alleged to have turned it down and held out for $100. He says he met Rottler at the Kelly House at 3 o'clock in the toilet room and gave him the one hundred dollars, six ten dollar bills and eight fives, on Friday, January 14. He said Rottler said, "Don't talk or it will put us all in a hell of a shape."

On cross examination Sapolsky admitted that he had been arrested for receiving stolen goods. Once he was convicted and three other times he was not convicted.

Jake Taylor, who works for Sapolsky, was the next witness. Taylor said Rottler called up on the Thursday mentioned and asked him to tell Sapolsky to meet him where they had arranged. On cross examination Taylor said and admitted that someone who would not give his name did the talking. Witness said he had been in Connellsville for five months and was of the same nationality as Sapolsky. He also said that he overheard the conversation in German in regard to fixing up the case, which Sapolsky was to have paid the following Friday.

Julius Shaffer, a Connellsville junk dealer, was on the stand. He said he was at Sapolsky's place once when Rottler came there. He said he left and did not hear the conversation. On cross examination he said that Mr. Hyatt, a pure food inspector, had Shaffer arrested for selling good bananas. It cost him $10 and costs.

George Zoma, bar tender at the Kelley House, said he saw Rottler and Sapolsky in the bar room on January 14. Rottler took a smoke and Sapolsky took a beer. Saw Rottler go to toilet room but the officer went alone. He did not see Sapolsky in the toilet room at all.

Milton Andrews, who was yesterday acquitted on a charge of stealing brass, said Rottler came to him in the lockup and said: "What's the matter with getting some money out of that Jew Sapolsky. You go to him and put up a good bluff." He claims Rottler offered him $25. On cross examination Andrews admitted he had been out of the workhouse only two months and since then had been in the county jail. He said Rottler arrested him the time he was sent to the workhouse.

The defense opened with Rottler on the stand. He was on the stand when court adjourned at noon. Rottler said he had been an officer for 11 years. He denied Andrews' statements in toto. He said he examined Andrews trying to find out what he had done with the brass. He got out of Andrews that the brass had been sold either to Sapolsky or some of his men. That is the time Rottler and E. S. Russell went to Sapolsky's place and looked in the wagon. Sapolsky became alarmed and Rottler claims that Sapolsky kept hunting him as though fearing arrest. Sapolsky is alleged to have asked Rottler to go to Captain Russell and get the matter fixed up so he would not be arrested or get any publicity in the newspapers. He said he would rather pay $100 than have it in the papers again. He said the last time he was arrested they published it in the Connellsville papers and it worried his wife. Rottler says he saw Sapolsky again on Tuesday seeking information regarding the stolen brass. Sapolsky is alleged to have said to him, "I am innocent and the only thing you know is what Andrews told you." He said Sapolsky, on Thursday, met him near the Kelley House. He had a boy with him. Sapolsky said that the boy could prove he did not get the brass. After the boy left them Sapolsky asked him in to have a drink. Rottler said he was not drinking, but Sapolsky insisted, so Rottler went in and took a cigar. He got the cigar after going into the toilet room and after coming out found Sapolsky at the bar drinking his beer.

After going out of the bar, Rottler said, Sapolsky told him he would give Russell $100 to keep him from being arrested and to keep it out of the papers.

Rottler denied the offer of $75 and also the offer of the check. He said he never received the $100 in Connellsville or any place else. He further denies that at S. R. Goldsmith's office or any other place he offered Sapolsky his $100 back to settle this case. He says he never called Sapolsky on the 'phone, either. Rottler says he put Julius Shaffer in the lockup when he wouldn't pay the costs for stealing a stove. He said that Shaffer then threatened to get even with him. He says he never offered Andrews $25 to make up a case against Sapolsky.

Character witnesses in behalf of Rottler were numerous. They were called after Burgess J. L. Evans testified. Burgess Evans said that Sapolsky, since a true bill was returned in this case, told him he would willingly give $50 to get out of appearing in court. Burgess Evans also testified that Julius Shaffer, after being fined for selling bad fruit, swore he would get even with Rottler if it took a hundred years.

J. S. Bryner, C. W. Patterson and A. D. Soisson, three former Burgesses of Connellsville, testified as to Rottler's reputation for honesty. W. C. Mullen, for many years Superintendent at Broad Ford, W. D. McGinnis, ex-Sheriff S. P. Frock, Dr. M. B. Shupe, Tax Collector George B. Brown, Andrew Huss and John B. Skinner also vouched for Rottler's good name in the community.

Attorney B. F. Sterling, who is assisted by State Senator W. E. Crow, argued for the defense. Attorney W. C. McKean, helping District Attorney Henderson with the prosecution, will make the address for the Commonwealth.

CRIMINAL COURT ROUTINE.

Cases That Were Disposed of at This Morning's Session

UNIONTOWN, March 17.—Although the courts did not make the time disposing of criminal matters today that they did yesterday, a good many cases were cleared up.

J. P. Ramage of Fairchance was found guilty of assault and battery on Frances Ramage, his wife. He was also convicted on a desertion indictment.

Albert A. Hamm is on trial for embezzlement of funds as an agent of the Singer Sewing Machine Company.

David Taswell was convicted of assault and battery on Harvey Lowry at Lemont. The charge of aggravated assault was not sustained.

William Jennings was found guilty of stealing chickens. County Detective Alex McBeth prosecuted him.

Edward McDowell was acquitted of stealing $4 from Kate Anderson at Moyer but the jury directed him to pay the costs.

J. C. Majercheck pleaded guilty to a charge of embezzlement preferred by Lizzie Kusen.

Bernard Stillwagon, prosecuted for assault and battery and aggravated assault and battery on I. W. Ross, pleaded guilty to simple assault.

Harry Farrell and Jessie Patterson pleaded guilty to larceny, robbery and sending threatening letters.

Annias Schroyer was not found guilty for deceiving Wade Johnson in a cattle deal but he will pay the costs.

Two Sheriff's bills were presented this morning, one for $65.11 in connection with the case against Aaron Rodney and one for $127 for expenses in connection with the Smith murder.

Pigs is Pigs Plus

At the sale of E. L. Denny of Waynesburg a sow with a litter of 11 one week old piglets were sold to J. G. Rinehart for $100. Three hundred sheep sold on an average of $7 a head.

J. J. Hill Raps Extravagance In U. S. Bond Issues

United Press Telegram

ST. PAUL, James J. Hill before the Conservation Congress today said: "I suggest that the friends of conservation give the National Capital the same protection from the spoiler as now given the natural resources. Most nations have abandoned moderation in spending money. Citizens of the United States have inherited a wholesome tradition against debt.

With enormous resources at command and ability to pay increasing taxes without distress, we have kept the national debt at a moderate figure. If advocates of large bond issues for all manner of internal improvements should win, in the emergency of war, we would be in Europe's condition, where the Chancellors' motto seems, 'After us the deluge.'"

Hill declared "the phenomenal increase in public expenditures that produce a plentiful crop of public ills is one of the causes of increased prices."

Connellsville Gets No League Ball This Year

Fans about the Smith House joined in the requiem this morning over the corpse of Connellsville's baseball hopes. The O. & P. league put Connellsville out of the running yesterday afternoon when it admitted Mansfield to the circuit. There wasn't much hope for Connellsville at any time but the bugs here were holding off until the last minute.

This morning director A. A. Straub of the Cokers wired Secretary Farrell releasing all the Connellsville players. He also sent a message to Scout Larry Sutton breaking the news as gently as possible and giving Larry an opportunity to place his phenoms. Then he took his pen in hand and wrote each of the players a letter explaining the situation. C. H. Brown was the chief mourner at the services today.

Pet 'Gator From the South.

Raymond Balsley, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Balsley of the West Side, this morning received a pet in the shape of a ten inch alligator from Florida. It was sent by his grandfather, I. R. Balsley, who has been basking in the Florida sunshine for several weeks.

Caught by Fall of Coal

Dartise Zanone, a miner at the Superior No. 1 plant of the Latrobe-Connellsville Coal & Coke Company, was caught under a fall of coal yesterday and his hip dislocated and leg broken.

JUDGE HALTS WEDDING.

Makes Woman Wife, But Not of Man She Wants.

MARIETTA, O., March 17.—(Special.) By setting aside a divorce decree he granted to Mrs. Emma Knight a week ago Judge Jones made her the legal wife of Edward Knight again. Mrs. Knight is said to have planned to marry Charles Seaport of Cadet, Pa.

Judge Jones on learning a license had been issued immediately called a special session of court and revoked his former decree and the sheriff served notices on the couple in time to prevent the marriage.

POPE ORDERS INQUIRY

Into Italian Crime, Particularly Black Hand Outrages, in America.

CANTON, O., March 17.—(Special.)—Rev. Father J. Adolph Casciancili has resigned the pastorate of the St. Anthony's Italian Roman Catholic church to fulfill an appointment to investigate Italian crime, particularly Black Hand outrages.

It is a task that will require about four years to complete and when the report of the findings is finally made to the Pope is will contain suggestions for the remedy of these conditions from a religious standpoint.

CUT DOWN IN TIME.

Man Ninety-One Years Old Attempts Suicide.

PITTSBURG, March 17.—(Special.)—George Jacob St Inhauser, ninety-one years old, was found hanging to a bedpost in his room on Forty-third street. His daughter notified Policemen Chas. Sheets and John Hogan. They cut down the man before life was extinct and a physician was called.

After an hour's work St Inhauser was restored to consciousness and at a late hour he was feeling no ill effects.

OLDFIELD IS SPEED KING.

Auto Driver Does a Mile in 27⅗ Seconds.

DAYTONA, Fla., March 17.—(Special.)—Barney Oldfield is the world's speed king.

The great driver traveled the fastest mile ever covered by a human, doing a mile in 27⅗ seconds, breaking the previous mark held by Marriott, 28 1-5, made here four years ago.

LAND RIOTS CONTINUE.

Many Killed and Hurt When Greek Troops and Peasants Clash.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 17.—(Special.)—Reports from Athens say many persons were killed and wounded in a clash between peasants and Greek troops at Maritza in connection with the land riots now sweeping Thessaly.

A civil war is feared and the troops are rapidly being reinforced.

BASIS OF SCALE GRANTING ADVANCE

To the Conductors and Trainmen on Baltimore & Ohio.

RATE OF PAY TO BE PAID

Request That Double Header Freight Service Be Discontinued Deferred, Pending Negotiations With Other Lines on Subject.

Announcement has been made of the following wage increase and improvement of traffic conditions, and the grounds upon which the settlement was effected in the conference between B. & O. officials, representatives of the trainmen and conductors and the commissioners, after the conference in Baltimore last week.

The request that 100 miles or less upon the distance basis or 10 hours or less upon the time basis be considered a day was granted. At present 50 miles or less upon the distance basis, or 5 hours or less, upon the time basis, constitute a half day. This is considered a unit.

The request that the working time of the men begin at the time they are required to report for duty and continue until released at end of run was granted.

The conductors in the passenger service are to receive $2.68, baggagemen handling express, $1.65, without express, $1.55, brakemen, $1.50 a day. The minimum monthly salary of the conductors is not to be less than $125, baggagemen handling express, $79, without express, $75, brakemen $70. The schedule for overtime is conductors 12 cents, baggagemen 25 cents, brakemen 21 cents.

The passenger conductors now receive $2.50, baggagemen handling express, $1.57, baggagemen without express, $1.38, brakemen $1.41.

It was agreed the crews of the through freight trains will receive: Conductors, $1.63; flagmen, $2.25½; brakemen, $2.12 per day, overtime pro rata.

The agreement is that the conductors on the local freight service will receive $1.90 to $3.97½, flagmen, $2.80, brakemen $2.70 per day, overtime pro rata. Crews of local and pickup specified runs to receive a similar per cent of increase.

It was also asked that the crews of the working, construction, wrecking and miscellaneous trains be paid the same as the through freight men under prevailing conditions. This was granted.

The request that the double header freight service be abolished was deferred, pending negotiations with other lines on same subject.

The trainmen also asked that the hours of service of the crew be based upon the western schedule, which holds that no crew can be tied up for rest between terminals until the expiration of 14 hours from time of starting and then only for a period of eight hours, when the time automatically begins again. This was granted.

The agreement reached was that the yard service was divided into three classes. The Chicago schedule was granted on the service as far east as Cumberland. A schedule of one cent per hour less was settled upon for another territory, while a third schedule of one cent still lower an hour was agreed upon for the eastern section of the system.

The present schedule of the pay of yard men fluctuates, but all are lower than the Chicago schedule.

HIT BEER AGENT WHEN PRICE IS UP TOO HIGH

So Carmine Renzi Has the Riccio Boys Arrested and Squire Hears the Case

Carmine Renzi "butted in" on house No. 10 at Nellie mines to secure a beer order. He found no one at home, apparently, until he went through a second door and found Guiseppi Riccio and his wife locked in the arms of Morpheus. Guiseppi awoke. So did Nicola, his brother, and the two proceeded to administer a walloping to Carmine when they found the price of beer was not down to $2.

Constable William Roland arrested the two Riccios and Squire Clark heard the case yesterday. Attorney I. Kirk Renner appeared for Renzi. The case was amicably settled.

LEONINE QUALITIES

Of March Were in Conspicuous Evidence This Morning.

The leonine qualities blamed on the month of March were much in evidence this morning for during the early hours a genuine snow storm blew up and covered the ground with white. After daylight broke the temperature took a rise and the snow turned to a sort of a sleety drizzle and ceased altogether sometime later.

The temperature at 8 o'clock was 0 degrees. Last evening it was 18. The river remains stationary at 2.70 feet.

Khartoum Is Grieved To See Roosevelt Go

United Press Telegram

KHARTOUM, March 17.—The Roosevelts will leave tonight for Assouan. The people are loathe to see their departure. Mr. Roosevelt spent most of the day receiving callers of prominence. He attended to his mail while his wife and daughter rested. A garden party was given the Roosevelts at the Grand Hotel this afternoon. American missionaries, officials, Egyptian army officers and leaders of the Khartoum Club attended. Roosevelt's speech praising England's colonial rule will be printed and distributed throughout the country.

Flavor Of Maple Wood Pronounced

Owners of sugar orchards have been busy for the past two weeks manufacturing the highly prized maple products for which Somerset county is famous throughout the country.

Judges of sugar and syrup say that the flavor of the maple wood is more pronounced in this season's product than for many years past, and attribute the cause to the protracted cold weather of December and January and the consequent hard freezing of the ground covering the roots of the maple trees. Indications, it is claimed, point to a short sugar crop, and lovers of maple products will therefore act wisely by laying in their annual supply early.

Four Informations Against Fretts

UNIONTOWN, March 17.—Four informations charging felonious cutting and carrying concealed weapons were returned this morning from Brownsville against Harry Fretts, who tried to terrorize the town several days ago.

Senator Daniel Very Low

WASHINGTON, March 17.—(Special.)—A telegram from Daytona, Florida, says the condition of Senator John W. Daniel of Virginia is critical. He is not expected to live out the day.

Brook Trout Here.

Twenty five cans of brook trout, containing 20,000 fry, arrived from the State hatcheries this morning. Mountain streams will be stocked. The trout season opens April 15.

BESSIE AND MAY GO FREE.

Women Charged With Taking Van Norden's Wad Released.

NEW YORK, March 17.—(Special.) Bessie Roberts, alias Kitty Dowell, and May Williams, the two tenderloin women who were charged by Warner M. Van Norden, former president of the Van Norden Trust Company, of robbing him of $28,000, were discharged on their own recognizance by Judge Rosalsky in the court of general sessions.

Judge Rosalsky refused to dismiss the indictment but released the women from bail bonds.

FIREMEN'S BALL

On the West Side This Evening in the Auditorium.

Everything is in readiness for the fifteenth annual ball of the West Side firemen to be held this evening in the West Side Auditorium. The event is one of the most important attractions of St. Patrick's Day and nothing has been left undone by the committee in charge this year to have the dance as successful as its predecessors.

Music will be furnished by Kiferle's orchestra and dancing will commence at 8 o'clock and continue until 2 o'clock tomorrow morning.

MINISTER ASSAULTED.

Horace C. Bowles Representative at Santo Domingo Is Victim.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—(Special.) Horace G. Knowles, United States Minister to Santo Domingo, was assaulted while out riding by a man named Castillo, a brother of the governor of the province. The dispatch received at the State Department today said that Castillo had been arrested and that it is believed he is mentally deranged. The Dominican government's ministers expressed his regrets today over the occurrence.

SETTLEMENT MAY COME

Senators Penrose and McNichol Go to Philadelphia.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—(Special.) Senator Penrose and State Senator James P. McNichol departed today for Philadelphia in an attempt to effect an adjustment of the strike. Senator McNichol arrived this morning from Florida.

BACK AT WORK.

West Penn Man Out After Attack of Smallpox.

S. B. Cuppett, who has charge of the West Penn telephones, returned to duty in Connellsville today for the first time since he had the smallpox some weeks ago. Cuppett is well once more after having passed through the rigors of a Uniontown quarantine.

Special Cars for Banquet.

Special cars will be run from Connellsville tomorrow morning to take home guests at the St. Patrick's Day banquet of the A. O. H. at the Armory in Connellsville this evening. This evening at 6:30 o'clock a special car will be run from Uniontown to Connellsville for the banquet.

STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSIONER LOOKS OVER ROADS NEAR HERE.

J. W. Hunter Comes at Instance of H. M. Kephart and Will Work for This Section.

WILL CLOSE MANY LINKS

Plan Is to Build State Road Connecting West Newton and Fayette City by Way of Mt. Pleasant and Connellsville—Push Work to Moyer.

With a view of securing better roads for this section, State Highway Commissioner Joseph W. Hunter came to Connellsville yesterday and looked over the situation here. It was at the instance of H. M. Kephart, Chief Clerk of the State Senate, that Mr. Hunter was induced to visit Connellsville. Both Mr. Kephart and State Senator W. E. Crow have been active in securing better roads for Fayette county and plans for a more extensive development are already under way.

The construction of a State road from West Newton to Fayette City, by way of Scottdale, Mt. Pleasant and Connellsville, is the scheme that is being worked out just now.

Mr. Hunter made a trip over the stretch of road from the borough line to Moyer, which has already been measured and on which work is to start as soon as the money is available. Another petition for building the road from Moyer through Bullskin township to the Westmoreland county line will be prepared immediately and the Westmoreland county people will look after securing the road from the county line into both Mt. Pleasant and Scottdale.

In Fayette county there are only two links to connect Fayette City and Connellsville, each about a mile in length. One is the mile stretch between the borough line on the West Side to the Vanderbilt-Star Junction road, and the other about a mile to the Star Junction and Fayette City pike.

It is impossible to say when work will start on these roads because of the limited appropriation for this purpose. State Highway Commissioner Hunter assured Mr. Kephart that every effort will be made to push this work. With Kephart and State Senator Crow strongly in favor of these improvements, and the support of other members of the Legislature, Fayette county is in line for early contract awards.

ENGINEERS IN CONFERENCE

With Officials of the Baltimore & Ohio at Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, March 17.—(Special.)—Conferences between the representatives of the locomotive engineers of the Baltimore & Ohio and the officials of the company on the wage and other questions the former have presented, commenced today.

When settlement with the engineers is effected similar questions raised by the representatives of the locomotive firemen will be taken up with them.

Celebrated Birthday.

Alex Cousins, a negro of Fairchance, celebrated his 97th birthday anniversary yesterday.

President Will Talk on The "Old Sod" In Chicago

United Press Telegram.

CHICAGO, March 17.—A salute of 21 guns marked the arrival of President Taft in Chicago today. The city is gaily decorated with flags and pictures of St. Patrick and Taft together. The President took breakfast at the La Salle hotel and received the Chicago newspaper men.

This evening he will be the guest of honor of the Irish Fellowship Club and will speak on 12 feet of imported sod brought from Ireland. He will leave at 11 o'clock tonight, after a busy day, for Rochester, N. Y.

While the thousands were greeting the journey of the President along Michigan avenue in the big automobile, the crowds were horror stricken by the attempt of an aged and infirm woman to throw herself under the wheels of the automobile in which the President was riding. Twice did she thus attempt to commit suicide, and twice the police foiled her effort. It required 10 officers to drag the woman back, and keep her away from the automobile. The pitiful sight of the aged, infirm woman's attempts affected the bystanders greatly.

The Chicago suffragettes joined the Presidential parade. Detectives arrested a man who wanted to install a private wireless telephone in the President's car.

The woman's name is Mrs. Jennie Mud, aged 65. The police declare she is demented. "Taft and St. Patrick are the biggest men on earth," she declared, and then wanted to jump on the front of the President's automobile and ride.

NO MORE TIPS FOR WAITERS.

Anti-Tipping Bill Passes Kentucky House and Senate.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Mar. 17.—(Special.)—"No mo' dem tips, don't go 'cause when us waiters get a ten cent tip it'll cost a five-spot," will be the expression of the waiters in Kentucky when Governor Willson signs Representative Aiken's anti-tipping bill imposing a penalty of $5 for each and every tip accepted by waiters and servants in hotels and restaurants. The bill passed the House and the Senate.

Some of the Senators said in their speeches that as they could not collect their money from the State at this session and had nothing to tip with, that they have been hungry during the session.

"THE LAST OF MAY

Report of Committee on Ballinger-Pinchot Row Is Due.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—(Special.) The report of the Investigating Committee on the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy it is expected will be submitted to Congress about the last of May. Sixteen unknown witnesses are to testify besides Secretary Ballinger, Assistant Secretary Pierce, Chief of Field Service Schwartz and Land Commissioner Dennett. It is probable that the promoter of the Cunningham claims will also testify for Ballinger.

FOREIGN INSPECTION

Is Recommended for Asiatic Immigrants Leaving Port.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—(Special.) The Assistant Secretary of the Bureau of Commerce and Labor cabled today recommending the establishing of a U. S. governmental examination of Asiatic immigrants before they leave Oriental ports. This would relieve the liners of the company of the liability for transporting diseased immigrants to this country.

Charles Penington Dead.

The funeral of John Charles Pennington of Connellsville took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his sister, Mrs. John Morris, at the Hay street station near Knox street, Cumberland. Mr. Pennington resided on Franklin street and died last Monday afternoon at the Morris residence.

Basketball Tonight.

A game of basketball will be played this evening in the City League between the Town Team and the B. & O. five. It will be called in the Y. M. C. A. gym at 8:15 o'clock.

Lad Badly Hurt, Falling From Wall On West Side

Thomas White, aged six years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward White of Third street, West Side, had a narrow escape from being seriously injured yesterday afternoon by falling off the stone retaining wall opposite the end of the bridge in the West Side. The boy was walking along the wall and when Mike Ziter, an Italian fruit dealer, warned the boy of the danger he was in he became frightened and fell off the wall.

His head struck a stone and as the result he suffered a slight concussion of the brain. The boy was picked up in an unconscious condition and was removed to his home on Third street. Dr. E. B. Edie was immediately summoned and on his arrival the boy had regained consciousness. His condition is not serious.

VALUE OF $50,000

Is Placed on the Bellevernon Bridge by Viewers.

UNIONTOWN, March 17.—The report on the Bellevernon bridge was filed before Judge J. Q. Van Swearingen Wednesday evening. The report finds that the bridge is necessary for the traveling public, that the payment of tolls is a burden to the people using the thoroughfare and that the bridge owners should have $50,000 for their property if it is taken by the two counties.

The three Fayette county viewers, John R. Byrne, Samuel W. Henshaw and C. B. Franks, were unanimously in favor of taking the bridge at $50,000. D. M. Campsey of Washington county joined the Fayette viewers, these four signing the report which was presented to court. The other Washington county viewers, R. V. Johnson and D. S. Taylor, did not sign the report, but filed no minority report.

IN POLICE COURT.

An Early Hearing Held this Morning by Burgess Evans.

An early session of police court was held this morning to enable Burgess Evans to attend court in Uniontown. Three drunks were sentenced, one getting a long distance dose because he was not in any condition to appear.

Burgess Evans left for the county seat on an early car, leaving Clerk A. O. Bixler and Officer Thomas McDonald in charge of City Hall.

Rising Temperature.

Partly cloudy tonight and Friday, rising temperature is the noon weather bulletin.

WARM WELCOME FOR PRESIDENT BY IRISH AMERICANS OF CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, March 17.—St. Patrick's Day will be a happy day for the Irish-Americans of Chicago. They will have for their guest the President of the Nation and will show him all the warmth of Irish hospitality. He will stand on Irish soil especially imported for the occasion and he will dine as the guest of the Irish Fellowship Club of the city in the big banquet hall of the La Salle hotel. The toastmaster of the banquet will be Michael J. Faherty, president of the club, one of Chicago's best known citizens of Irish extraction. The invitation to Chicago was extended to President Taft last month in behalf of the club by Judge Elbridge Hanecy, Senator Lorimer, Representative Madden and other Chicagoans of distinction. On the arrival of the President in Chicago he will be met by a delegation representing the club and by the Seventh regiment, Illinois National Guard, which is known as the "Irish Regiment" owing to the large number of men in it who are of Irish decent.

PRESIDENT TAFT'S ESCORT FROM THE 7TH REGIMENT ILLINOIS NATIONAL GUARD
BANQUET HALL
MICHAEL J. FAHERTY
PRESIDENT TAFT'S SMILE

SOCIETY.

FIVE HUNDRED PARTY

Given by Mrs. J. P. K. Miller of Scottdale Wednesday Afternoon.

Appointments in keeping with St. Patrick's Day were handsomely carried out at a five hundred party at which Mrs. J. P. K. Miller was hostess yesterday afternoon at her home in Scottdale. A color scheme of green was carried with large bouquets as floral decorations [illegible]. A well arranged luncheon followed the games.

Among the out of town guests present were Mrs. P. W. Wright, Mrs. John Hill, Mrs. William Duill and Mrs. H. P. Atkinson of Connellsville, and Mrs. R. [illegible] Rist of Dawson.

A BIRTHDAY PARTY

Given by Mrs. Harry Raymond of East Connellsville.

Mrs. Harry Raymond entertained very pleasantly last Saturday evening at her home on Stephens street in honor of the fourteenth birthday anniversary of her sister, Miss Carrie May Livingston of East Connellsville. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Earl [illegible] of the West Side. The evening was spent in various games and at ten o'clock a dainty repast was served.

Miss Carrie received many presents in remembrance of the happy occasion. About [illegible] guests were present.

LADIES' SEWING CIRCLE

Of the Baptist Church Will Hold Easter Sale Tomorrow.

The Ladies' Sewing Circle of the First Baptist Church will hold an Easter sale tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. A. Lyon on East Main street.

The ladies have been engaged in sewing for the past several months and a wide assortment of staple and fancy [illegible] articles will be on sale. A supper will be served at 5 o'clock until late in the evening. A sum of twenty-five cents will be charged.

Afternoon at Fancy Work.

The Ladies' Fancy Work Club was delightfully entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Frank Robinson at her home on Green street. Ten ladies were present and spent several very pleasant hours at fancy work. About 5 o'clock a delicious repast was served. Mrs. John Weaver was a guest of the club. The next meeting will be held Wednesday afternoon, March 30, at the home of Mrs. J. H. Hittner on South [illegible] street.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held yesterday afternoon at the Carnegie Free Library. Owing to the absence of the president Mrs. Mary E. [illegible] Mrs. J. A. Zimmerman presided. There was a fair attendance. The [illegible] routine business was transacted.

A Boston Supper.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Protestant Church will hold a Boston supper this evening in [illegible] Hall. The hours are from 5 to 8 o'clock. Baked beans, fried oysters, salads, plum pudding, etc., will be served for fifty five cents.

A Gentleman From Mississippi At The Soisson Tonight

Lovers of comedies which are based on present day political conditions will find something to their taste in "A Gentleman From Mississippi," which appears at the Soisson theatre this afternoon and evening. Those who read this entertaining story, as it ran serially in The Courier not many weeks ago, will have an opportunity to see real players portray the parts in the novel. Although Tom Wise wrote the play for himself, Robert Fischer is now playing the part as though it had been moulded especially for him.

At Uniontown "A Gentleman From Mississippi" made a decided hit last evening. *The play is not unlike "The Man of the Hour,"* although it deals with national instead of local politics. The play will strike a responsive chord in the hearts of those who cherish "Insurgent" sympathies and join in the chorus of "Turn the grafters out."

A New Decorator.

C. B. Boyd of Pittsburg is a new decorator for Mace & Company. Mr. Boyd has had wide experience in this line of work and comes to the company highly recommended.

THE ELKS MINSTREL.

Performers Under Direction of C. E. Stout April 28 and 29.

The Elks have decided upon April 28 and 29 as the date for their annual minstrel performance and have secured Charles E. Stout to direct the performances. Mr. Stout has had charge of the performances for several years past and has been greatly responsible for the success which have attended these efforts. Something new and novel is promised in the production this year. Last year the Elks broke away from the motheaten brand of minstrelsy and the new departure was appreciated.

These are busy times for Mr. Stout. He is working with the Grand Army boys of Scottdale, who present a minstrel performance in Scottdale April 20 and 21. This production is well under way and promises to be one of the best home talent productions Scottdale has seen in many years.

Mr. Stout is also considering offers from Morgantown and Mt. Pleasant for amateur productions which are planned for the future.

Sutersville Woman Dies.

Mrs. William Weisgerber, mother of Charles H. Weisgerber of Washington avenue, died Monday at her late home in Sutersville. She was 69 years old and was one of the most widely known women of that section. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon.

Licensed to Wed.

Robert Vernon of Connellsville and Martha Oglethrop of Leisenring No. 1 were granted a marriage license in Cumberland yesterday.

CASINOS WIN THREE.

Took Dunbar Team Into Camp on the Casino Alleys Last Night.

The Casino team won three games from the Dunbar bowlers last night. The score:

Dunbar.	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Wishart	82	70	90	...
Ways	101	77	88	...
Smith	75	78	80	...
Porter	77	74	78	...
Lowry	85	102	78	...
Totals	410	411	414	1214

Casino.	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Kennedy	101	97	78	...
Thorp	108	78	80	...
Wilson	73	78	100	...
McPartland	110	95	83	...
Fretts	92	101	73	...
Totals	484	449	429	1350

50% of the Population of the U. S. live in rural districts remote from physicians or drug stores, and they are obliged to depend upon proprietary medicines to a very great extent.

To the women in these homes such standard remedies as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound come as a boon and a blessing. Records show that it has cured more women of these dread feminine ills than any other remedy.

Notice To Owls.

A meeting of Connellsville Lodge No. 1074, Order of Owls, will be held in Stader's Hall tonight at 8 o'clock. Every Owl's presence is requested. Business of great importance to every member is to be transacted. John Dean, President, M. B. Pryce, Secretary.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. George Gamble, of the South Side is visiting her son, Samuel Gamble, at Freedom, Pa.

Mrs. J. W. Brown and little son, are visiting relatives in McKeesport.

Mrs. J. T. Gormley of McKeesport is here on a visit to friends.

Burnt wood outfits 10c. Glove and handkerchief boxes to burn, 10c. Special, on Saturday, at Artman's.

D. H. Smith of Smithton was a Connellsville visitor yesterday.

Mrs. Otto Kohler and guest, Miss Rose Stehley of Baltimore, went to Pittsburg this morning to visit for a few days.

Mrs. P. J. Adams is in Pittsburg today.

Misses Marguerite Brannan and Edna Murphy went to Latrobe this afternoon to attend a chicken supper and dance this evening.

James McKelvey of Somerset was here yesterday.

We have a 16-syrup Lippincott onyx soda fountain. Will sell cheap. Includes chairs, tables, stools and a full fountain outfit. Graham & Co., Pittsburg and apple streets.

Mrs. I. R. Shallenberger of Latrobe is the guest of Mrs. H. L. Mitchell today.

Superintendent J. W. Brown of the West Penn left today for Louisville, Ky., on a business trip. He will be gone for several days.

C. B. Franks, Superintendent of the H. C. Frick coke works at Leisenring No. 1, was in Pittsburg yesterday on business.

White Elephant flour skins them all in quality and price, $1.55 large sack. Hixon & Lytle, West Side, and East End Grocery, Fairview avenue. m&t

Sheriff P. A. Johns of Uniontown was in town yesterday on his way home from Pittsburg.

Miss Maude Montgomery was in Pittsburg yesterday on business.

Mrs. J. W. Madigan and baby of Vanderbilt were the guests of Mrs. J. D. Madigan of East Fairview avenue yesterday.

Simpex shoulder braces are guaranteed to correct physical defects. We sell them at $2. Graham & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Sekinger of Eighth street, West Side, returned home yesterday from Pittsburg. Mr. Sekinger recently underwent an operation at the Mercy Hospital.

Miss Henrietta Rutter of Uniontown was the guest of her sister, Mrs. James Allen, of South Pittsburg street yesterday.

Miss Mary Bolger is home from a visit with friends in Pittsburg.

She was stoop-shouldered—Simpex brace. Graham & Co. $2. Now she stands erect.

Mrs. Mary Sneddon and daughter, Mrs. William O'Donnell, of the West Side, were the guests of friends at Dunbar yesterday.

Mrs. J. L. Junk of Dunbar was a Connellsville visitor yesterday.

Poor Digestion?

This is one of the first signs of stomach weakness. *Distress after eating,* sour eructations, sick headache, bilious conditions are all indicative that it is the stomach that needs assistance. *Help it to regain health* and strength by taking

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for they are a stomach remedy that never disappoints. They act quickly and gently upon the digestive organs, sweeten the contents of the stomach, carry off the disturbing elements, and establish healthy conditions of the liver and bile.

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HOTEL ARRIVALS.

The following persons were registered yesterday and today at the local hotels:

Arlington.

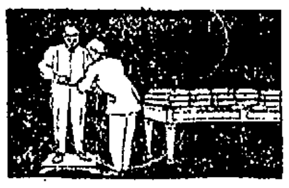
D. O. Shannon, Mt. Pleasant; A. M. Liston, Lancaster; J. A. Collins, Uniontown; J. R. Breckenridge, Uniontown; Earl Hisbeck, Brownsville; W. G. Robbins, Charleroi; W. Clingerman, Scottdale, S. Maucher, Columbus, O.; J. N. Cole, Uniontown; E. H. Howard, Boston, F. K. Flaherty, Baltimore; H. M. Glover, Pittsburg; W. M. Scarborough, Pittsburg; C. E. Ayers, Pittsburg; R. E. Forsythe, Pittsburg; C. J. Thornton, Pittsburg; A. S. Hetrick, Pittsburg; C. J. Mendelhal, Berwick, Pa.; J. C. Crawford, Pittsburg; H. A. Marshall, Pittsburg; G. W. Diehl, Pittsburg; C. A. Mills, Wilmerding; Z. Zobel, New York; H. D. Schultz, New York; W. H. Mercer, Philadelphia; B. J. Thillenner, Pittsburg; J. D. Edgar, Pittsburg; O. W. Hartzell, Philadelphia; C. H. Laird, Jr., Pittsburg; G. C. Huey, Pittsburg; W. H. Mercer, Pittsburg; J. W. Hunter, Greensburg; W. R. Wallace, Morgantown; P. M. Boggs, Morgantown; W. N. Netz, New York; L. C. Blade, Elizabeth City, N. J.; M. A. Kendall, Parkersburg, W. Va.; H. R. Rause, Pittsburg; H. C. Imhler, Carrolltown; A. S. Fisher, Pittsburg; George Werner, New York; R. Rubenstein, Pittsburg, P. A. Kramer, Dayton; E. Bouser, Pittsburg; A. L. Rhodes, Butler; V. Visconti, Wheeling, W. Va.; D. Wertheimer, Cleveland, O.; H. Troy, New York; H. R. Hartzel, Canton, O.; J. J. Taum, Canton, O.; J. Green, Baltimore.

Wyman.

W. J. Stifler, Danville; N. L. Woodward, Chicago; W. G. Swearingen, Pittsburg; J. Welstein, Cincinnati, O.; E. E. Robinson, Pittsburg, J. H. Copeland, Philadelphia; J. A. Boyce, Pittsburg; F. D. Clelland, Pittsburg; C. H. Cadtz, Dubois, Pa.; H. Rutter, Uniontown; J. R. Wallace, Pittsburg; A. E. Shutterly, Toledo, O.; M. Miller, New York; A. L. Hall, Harrisburg; Grove Carroll, McKeesport; H. P. McMillen, Pittsburg, H. C. Byers, Pittsburg; H. Martin, Warren, Pa.; Harry Harris, Pittsburg.

Yough House.

T. H. Heddick, Cleveland, O.; M. R. Gear, Pittsburg; D. C. Hunter, Pittsburg; W. S. Harrison, Cleveland, O.; W. L. Justi, Baltimore; G. W. Beyard, Uniontown; D. H. Smith, Smithton; S. R. Coutler, Pittsburg, F. W. Stickel, Indian Creek; F. C. Davis, Baltimore; C. W. Smyers, Pittsburg, H. J. Pessint, Cleveland, O.; O. P. Miller, Pittsburg. W. M. Martin, Toledo, O.; J. C. Jackson, Pittsburg; H. J. Newman, Pittsburg; F. G. Kennedy, Pittsburg; W. H. Farr, Philadelphia; E. E. Enold, Pittsburg. W. Douglass, Uniontown; C. J. Douglass, Pittsburg; R. M. Howerth, Baltimore; W. Ross, Barnesville, O.; G. J. Wilhelm, Boston; F. Mortz, Philadelphia. C. Fletcher, Philadelphia; T. J. Doorley, Baggaley.



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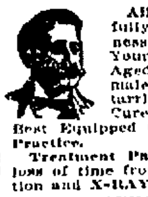

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Loss of hair is caused by the scalp drying up, or losing its supply of moisture or nutriment; when baldness occurs the scalp has simply lost all its nourishment, leaving nothing for the hair to feed upon (a plant or even a tree would die under similar conditions.)

The natural thing to do in either case, is to feed and replenish the soil or scalp as the case may be, and your crop will grow and multiply as nature intended it should.

Knowlton's Danderine has a most wonderful effect upon the hair glands and tissues of the scalp. It is the only remedy for the hair ever discovered that is similar to the natural hair foods or liquids of the scalp.

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4 cans String Beans	25c	10 dozen Clothes Pins	10c	6 lbs. Loose Rolled Oats	25c
4 small cans Tomatoes	25c	2 quart Jars Mustard	25c	3 boxes Jell-O, all flavors	25c
3 cans Cream Corn	25c	1 quart Jar Olives	25c	1 25c-jar Pure Preserves	15c
3 large cans Tomatoes	25c	2 lbs. Mix Nuts	25c	1 25c-Jar Honey	25c
3 cans Early June Peas	25c	5 lbs. Pearl Tapioca	25c	3 5c-boxes Matches	10c
3 cans Sour Kraut	25c	1 large can Syrup	10c	3 5c-sacks Salt	10c
3 cans Hominy	25c	3 10c-glasses Jelly	25c	7 lbs. Sal Soda	10c

50 lb. sack White Satin Flour	$1.65	1 box Toilet Soap, 9 cakes	20c
25 lbs. Best Granulated Sugar	$1.40	6 cans Peerless or Pet Milk	25c
1 bushel Potatoes	60c	2 lbs. Choice Rio Coffee	25c
4 large Climax Washing Tablets	25c	11 Bars Good Laundry Soap	25c
3 lbs. Fancy Santos Coffee	50c	3 bxs. Pancake or Buckwheat Flour	25c
3 cans Table Peaches	50c	10 lbs. Crack Hominy	25c
3 cans Fancy Apricots	50c	3 quarts Fancy Navy Beans	25c
6 rolls Toilet Paper	25c	10 lb. sack Corn Meal	22c
10-lb. sack Pure Buckwheat Flour	30c	4 cans Fancy Pumpkins	25c
1 gal. Jug Catsup	55c	3 lbs. Fresh Soda Crackers	25c
7 boxes Oil Sardines	25c	3 lbs. Evaporated Apples	25c

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The News of Nearby Towns.

DUNBAR.

DUNBAR, March 16.—C. A. Albert, general superintendent of the Dunbar Sand Manufacturing Company, with offices in Pittsburg, is busily engaged in loading the machinery from the plant which is now closed down and which is situated about one mile above the Furnace, and shipping the machinery to Denton, N. C. Mr. Albert expects to leave about April first for Toledo, O., where he will open another sand mill for the manufacture of first class sand.

The Fortnightly Music Club held its regular meeting Monday evening at the home of Miss Martha Greer, Railroad street. A delightful musical program was rendered after which an enjoyable social hour was spent. At a late hour refreshments were served by the hostess.

J. W. Hawker of Brownsville spent Sunday here the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Hawker [illegible].

Mrs. Louis Heurich was the guest of friends in Uniontown Monday.

Miss Elizabeth Wilson of Fayette City was in town Sunday the guest of Miss Marguerite Hawker.

Mrs. William Greenwood was the guest of Uniontown friends Tuesday.

Walter Cox, president of the Continental Pressed Glass Company of Philadelphia, is here on business in the interest of the local plant.

Master Elmer Wilson, who has been the guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hawker, left Tuesday for his home at Washington, Pa.

Mrs. C. D. Kimball and daughter, Mabel, were guests of friends in Connellsville Monday evening.

Miss Della McFarland was the guest of friends in Uniontown Monday.

Miss Margaret Hawker left Tuesday morning for Washington, Pa., where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. W. Wilson for a few weeks.

Harry Rankin, who has been attending to business matters at Cleveland, O., for the past week, returned home Tuesday.

Miss [illegible] of Uniontown was here Tuesday.

Mrs. J. W. [illegible] was visiting in Connellsville Monday evening.

Mrs. [illegible] of the West Side, Connellsville, was here Tuesday the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William [illegible].

[illegible] was the guest of friends in Connellsville [illegible].

[illegible] Wishart left Tuesday for Pittsburg, where he will visit friends for a few days.

Mrs. [illegible] and little daughter of Connellsville were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], Harper street [illegible].

[illegible] the guest of [illegible] friends [illegible].

W. H. [illegible] who has been [illegible] for a few days left for his home at [illegible].

Mrs. [illegible] was the guest of friends in Uniontown Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Davis [illegible] were [illegible] of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] W. McClosky.

Mrs. William [illegible] was visiting friends here Tuesday.

Miss [illegible] who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. [illegible] of Uniontown the past week, has returned home.

Miss [illegible] was the guest of friends in Mt. Braddock Tuesday.

[illegible]

[illegible] Walker [illegible] Saturday. Mr. Wilkins [illegible] county.

DUNBAR, March 17.—Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]

[illegible]

The [illegible] will hold an [illegible] Railroad street. [illegible]

Miss [illegible] was the guest of friends in Connellsville Wednesday.

Miss Kathryn Keown was the guest of friends [illegible] evening.

[illegible] Wednesday.

[illegible] the First National [illegible] Pennsylvania railroad.

[illegible] Connellsville [illegible] evening the guest of friends.

Walter Kallborn of Star Junction was here Wednesday visiting friends.

[illegible]

Miss [illegible] of Smithfield [illegible] friends.

Mrs. [illegible] Kelly and daughter Miss [illegible] spent Sunday with friends at [illegible].

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCusker of [illegible] Mrs. Mary McCusker [illegible].

[illegible] Railroad [illegible] refreshments were served by the hostess.

W. [illegible] of Uniontown was here Wednesday.

The Men's Bible Class of the Methodist Episcopal Church will hold its regular meeting Friday evening in the [illegible].

[illegible] friends in Mt. [illegible].

Miss [illegible] and Miss Stewart were visiting friends in Mt. [illegible].

[illegible] It is expected that if everything is successful that the lodge will be instituted about April first.

Mrs. Charles Harvey and children of Coalport, Clearfield county, Pa., are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Estlick, Bryson Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Jeffries of Mt. Braddock spent Monday the guests of friends in Greensburg.

Mrs. Horace Estlick and daughter, Mrs. Birdie Beals, who have been visiting friends here left for their home at Republic.

The social meeting held by the Epworth League of the M. E. Church which was held Tuesday evening at the parsonage, Speers Hill, was one of the most successful social meetings held by the league for some time. A feature of the meeting was the excellent musical and literary program which was rendered, as follows: Piano duet, Misses Dorothy Brant and Anna Lee [illegible]; violin solo, Harold McGee; paper on Music, Miss Sadie Keffer; vocal solo, Miss Clara Carroll; piano solo, Miss Martha Greer; paper, entitled The Pinchot and Ballinger Affair, which was prepared by Edgar McGee, showed careful work and brought out many points of interest on both sides; violin solo, Harold Carroll; piano duet, Misses Martha Greer and Agnes Newmon. All sorts of games were indulged in and at a late hour refreshments were served. There were about 60 present.

Mrs. P. D. Shoemaker of the West Side, Connellsville, was here Wednesday visiting friends.

On next Sunday evening Miss Anna McDiffett, Second Vice President of the Epworth League of the Connellsville Sub District, will conduct the devotional services at the regular meeting of the Epworth League on Sunday evening. All the members of the League are requested to be present.

Charles Fowler, who has been visiting friends at New Castle for the past week, returned home on Tuesday [illegible].

Jacob McFarland was a business caller in Connellsville on Wednesday.

The people of Dunbar are now afforded the opportunity of hearing one of the best lectures ever delivered in this community, when Dr. Wedderspoon, pastor of the Emory Methodist Episcopal Church of Pittsburg, has been secured under the auspices of the Epworth League of the First Methodist Episcopal Church to deliver his famous lecture on the Land of the Irish Bush on the evening of Friday, March 25, at 8 o'clock. Tickets will be placed on sale in a few days and a small admission of 25 cents will be charged.

The condition of Mrs. Mary McCusker, who is seriously ill at her home near Pechin Station, remains unchanged.

MT. PLEASANT.

MT. PLEASANT, March 16.—Punice Matsbrger, a Slavish miner who was employed by the H. C. Frick Company in their Standard No. 2 mine, is now reposing in jail at Greensburg, awaiting a hearing at the next term of court, having been convicted of violating the mining laws at a hearing before Justice of the Peace Hunter last evening upon information of D. R. Blower, State Mine Inspector. The Slavish miner was arrested by Constable James Ellis yesterday as he had on several occasions [illegible] matches and smoking materials into the mines.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the United Brethren Church gave an enjoyable and pleasant social in the Sunday School room last evening. A program was rendered and refreshments served. A large crowd was in attendance.

George, the 10 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Freeman of Smith street, was operated upon in the local hospital yesterday afternoon for appendicitis. He is in a critical condition.

A grand concert and Irish lecture will be held in St. Joseph's Hall [illegible] street on St. Patrick's Day evening under the auspices of the A. O. H. At this time Irish songs, melodies, music and talks will be rendered.

Mrs. S. H. Kimball returned to her home in New York city yesterday after spending a week with her sister, Mrs. N. [illegible].

Mrs. C. P. [illegible] of Scottdale is spending a few days with her sister, Miss Clare Shirk.

The local Institute closed Friday for the Easter vacation. On Monday, March 21 the spring term will begin. Many of the students and teachers have left for their homes to spend the vacation.

SMITHFIELD.

SMITHFIELD, March 17.—Contractor [illegible] Peterson of the West Side, Connellsville, has a force of men engaged on extensive improvements to the [illegible] Hotel on Railroad street, recently bought from [illegible] from Brown Brady, and for which they ask a license April 1st.

John Showalter of Washington, Pa., is visiting his father, J. W. Showalter, and other relatives here.

Mrs. Floyd Whetstone of Nicholson township was a borough caller Saturday.

J. N. Rankin killed four shoats on Wednesday that he bought last fall for $10 and fed them 10 days. He butchered them for 12 cents per pound. They brought $84.72.

A. F. Smith, uncle of Frank Smith, made a [illegible] the morning after he had committed the deed for which he is now in jail awaiting trial. A. F. said it was no use to hunt for Frank, to let him alone, that when he came to realize [illegible] of what he had done he would come back and give himself up. This is what he virtually did.

H. J. Rankin returned Tuesday from a several days' visit with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phillips of [illegible] and James [illegible] at Dunbar, who contemplates moving to Minnesota about the first of April.

C. K. P. Shoaf of Springhill township was a borough caller Wednesday.

ROCKWOOD.

ROCKWOOD, March 16.—Charles Wolfersberger, superintendent of the Fernwood Coal Company, was called to Baltimore, Md., last evening on business relative to the [illegible] of engines for the B. & O. railroad.

P. A. Hannaford has been transferred from third trick operator here to third trick at Markleton.

Judge Kooser has appointed Pleasant J. Weimer Burgess of Rockwood to succeed George J. [illegible], who recently resigned.

Westbound train No. 47, due at Rockwood at 9:58 has become a regular mail train, beginning March 15. This will give the patrons better service, enabling them to get mail out in the morning while heretofore no local mail was sent out until 10 P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. [illegible] left for Johnstown last evening where they will make their future home. Mr. [illegible] will work at Rockwood and travel back and forth.

H. C. Henford of Johnstown is visiting his mother, Mrs. Charles Henford.

A. W. Shultz returned home last evening from Somerset where he had been visiting his many friends.

The Anti-Saloon League Committee will meet at Rockwood next Tuesday to decide upon their candidates for the [illegible] to be elected in the near future.

Mrs. Grace [illegible] of Connellsville is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. [illegible].

[illegible] lunch [illegible] at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. [illegible] on Tuesday evening.

The Fernwood miners are still out.

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and the audience, comprising the good people of Connellsville and Western Pennsylvania, is applauding our efforts over and over again. If there is anything in the line of

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that you need now or will need later to brighten up your home, don't wait until the sale is over, but come now and take your pick of our

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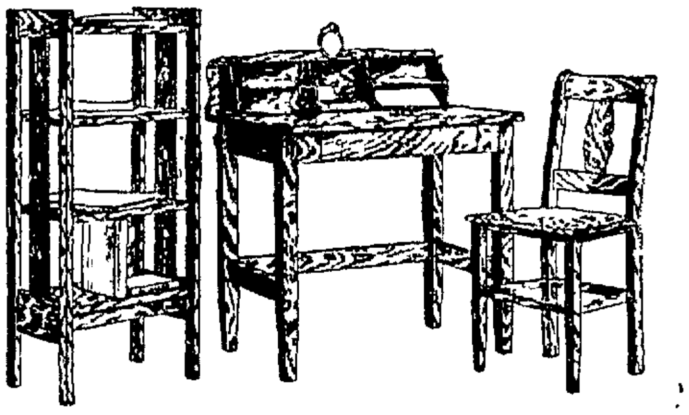

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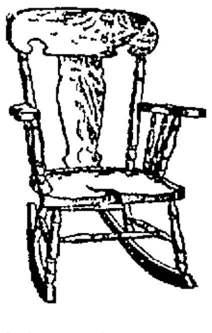

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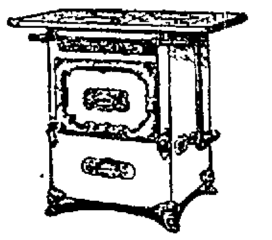

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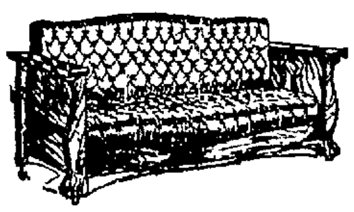

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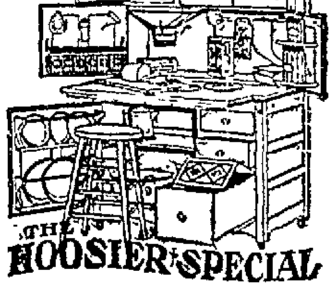
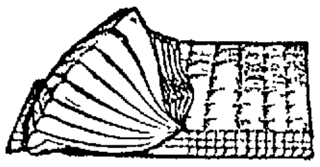
$22.50



THE HOOSIER SPECIAL

Kitchen Cabinet excels all kitchen cabinets in quality and is fully 25 per cent less in price than any other kitchen cabinet on the market. During this sale we offer this cabinet special to you at the special price of......... $25.00



This $10.00 Genuine Felt Matress. Anniversary Sale Price

$6.95

AARON'S

OWENSDALE.

OWENSDALE, March 16.—Mrs. John Cowan was in Scottdale Wednesday.

J. A. Churchill of Dawson was here Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Allen Shallenberger was calling in Scottdale Tuesday.

A fire which originated in some mysterious manner was discovered Tuesday evening in the house occupied by John Cowan and before it was extinguished a large amount of bedclothing was destroyed. Mr. Owen went up stairs to attend to the fire in the grate and when he entered the room found it filled with smoke and one of the beds completely wrapped in flames. With the assistance of neighbors the fire was quickly extinguished. Loss about $25.

OWENSDALE, March 17.—Mrs. J. J. Robbins was visiting at the home of Mrs. Sarah Robbins, Connellsville over Sunday.

Foster Porter of Scottdale was here on business yesterday.

Miss Bertha Swope of Bridgeport was visiting here over Sunday.

Bert Freed was attending to matters of business at Scottdale today.

Dudley Ridenour of Bellevernon was visiting here Sunday.

Mrs. Julliann Shallenberger is ill.

Mrs. Michael DeWalt and daughter Irene were calling at Everson over Sunday.

David King was a Scottdale caller today.

CONFLUENCE.

CONFLUENCE, March 17.—Charles Biltz, a former resident of this place but now of Cumberland, was calling on friends here yesterday.

Miss Nellie Conway of Markleysburg was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. A. B. Kurtz and daughter Dorothy, of Connellsville, are guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Black.

Andy Coughenour of Dumas was a business caller here yesterday.

J. R. Codut of Ursina was here on business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Lytle and two daughters, Katharine and Virginia, who have been visiting Mrs. Lytle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Burnworth at Uniontown, have returned home.

Marsh Miller made a business trip to Connellsville this week.

Miss Fannie Black gave her annual music recital in the M. E. Church on Tuesday evening. The program, which consisted of piano solos and duets and mandolin solos, were well rendered. The Ringsville orchestra played several nice selections. The auditorium and Sunday School room were well filled and everyone was well pleased.

Rowland Brewer, B. & O. operator of Manilla, Pa., was calling on friends here Wednesday evening.

Judson Spurgeon of Jockey Valley was a business caller here Wednesday.

M. Kuhlman of Uniontown passed through town yesterday on his return from a week's visit with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Kuhlman at Ursina.

Misses Katherine Snyder and Mayme Rorquer, Messrs. Claude Davis, Harry Kuhlman, M. Kuhlman and Charles Koontz of Ursina attended the music recital given in the M. E. Church on Tuesday evening.

Miss Turner, milliner at H. Kurtz's store, arrived Tuesday evening.

Rev. A. K. Travis preached in the M. E. Church at Ursina Tuesday evening.

Miss Mary Maude Augustine of Somerfield was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. H. P. Meyers Tuesday and Wednesday.

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of our classified advertisements. One cent a word is all it will cost you.

DAWSON.

DAWSON, March 17.—Dr. G. W. Gallagher of Connellsville was here Tuesday visiting his brother, William, who is ill with pneumonia.

Miss Cora Gilleland was a business caller at Vanderbilt Wednesday.

Dr. H. J. Bell was in Uniontown yesterday attending the funeral of Dr. Hutton.

A. C. Mosser was a business caller at Boston Wednesday.

Miss Elizabeth Glendenning of Murraysville arrived here today to take charge of Mrs. MacDonald's millinery store. Miss Glendenning was Mrs. MacDonald's former milliner and her many friends will be glad to see her back again.

Mrs. A. J. Manning is at Pittsburg today the guest of friends.

Mrs. C. P. McGibbon returned home Wednesday from McKeesport where she has been visiting friends and relatives.

M. P. Strawn visited his wife at the West Penn hospital, Pittsburg, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Cochran and James Reed left last evening on a few weeks business trip in West Virginia.

C. P. McGibbon, store manager for the Dawson Supply Company, was called to Bruceton Mills, W. Va., yesterday on account of the illness of his father.

Patronize those who advertise.

George Christy of Sewickley, a trustee of the bankruptcy of J. Frank Murphy, was a business caller here Tuesday.

Miss Margaret Gilmm has accepted a position in the postoffice.

Mrs. George Davis of Greensburg is here visiting her mother, Mrs. J. S. Husband.

Mrs. Roy Rist is visiting her mother, Mrs. Lydia Oglevee of Scottdale.

OHIOPYLE.

OHIOPYLE, March 17.—C. A. Moon of Morgantown, W. Va., after spending the past few days at his home returned to Ohiopyle last evening to attend to matters of business.

J. H. Hesse of Whigcorner, was in town on business yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Daniels of near Maple Summit spent a few hours of Wednesday with friends here.

J. S. Jackson returned to his home here last evening after a short business trip to Uniontown.

Mrs. Annie Abbey was visiting in Connellsville Wednesday.

Mrs. J. W. Holt left Wednesday for Connellsville to visit her daughter, Mrs. Charles Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas [illegible] left Wednesday for Uniontown to visit friends and to look after matters of business.

Miss Julia Moon of Bidwell was in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Wright of near Kentuck spent a few hours Wednesday with friends in town.

W. M. McFarland is transacting business in Uniontown.

BERLIN.

BERLIN, March 17.—Holy Week services in Trinity Lutheran Church will be conducted by the following out of town ministers: Monday evening, Rev. D. H. Kurtz of Rockwood; Tuesday evening, Rev. W. H. McCartney of Friedens; Wednesday and Thursday evenings, Rev. J. S. English of Stoyestown; Friday evening, Rev. W. H. B. Carney of Garrett. The preparatory services Saturday evening will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. A. J. Rudisill.

Holy Week services will be conducted nightly in the Reformed Church by the pastor, Rev. W. C. Sykes.

Oram Swope was a Somerset visitor last week.

James F. Gibson of Dividing Ridge, was a visitor here Saturday.

Dr. G. B. Masters of Rockwood was in town Monday calling on his father, Emanuel Masters, who is ill.

Elias Rehman of Brotherton, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

W. H. Wager is doing jury duty at Somerset this week.

William Nicholson, a B. & O. engineer running on the S. & C. Branch, spent several days here with his family this week.

PERRYOPOLIS.

PERRYOPOLIS, March 17.—The District Sunday School meet will be held in the Christian Church Friday afternoon and evening. A number of speakers well versed on Sunday School work will be present from other parts of the county and an appropriate meeting can be looked for. All are welcome.

The Perry Manufacturing Company has installed a new roof tiling department and will turn out a grade of roofing not seen heretofore.

The home talent play, Hicks at College, will be presented Saturday evening.

Rev. Wagner of the Methodist Church, Layton, was in town yesterday.

New Somerset Coal Company.

SOMERSET, March 17.—A new coal company to be known as the Belmont Quemahoning Coal Company will shortly be incorporated and will commence operations in the productive coal fields of Jenner township.

The Daily Courier.

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THURSDAY EVE'G., MAR. 17, 1910.

THE FREE BRIDGE MOVEMENT IN FAYETTE COUNTY.

The free bridge movement in Fayette county has gathered such momentum that every vestige of this ancient and long-standing injustice to certain communities must soon be swept away by the flood of public opinion.

The Dawson bridge was condemned by viewers a few days ago and its valuation assessed at $60,000. The Belle Vernon bridge underwent a similar condemnation yesterday, and its price was appraised at $50,000. This bridge, however, will be an inter-county bridge, and one half the cost of making it free and maintaining it will be borne by Washington county.

The acquisition of these bridges by the county authorities will provide Fayette county pretty thoroughly with free bridges. Ohiopyle and Confluence were supplied years ago; Connellsville and Point Marion, within the past few years, Dawson and Belle Vernon are now under way, and when they are taken over it will be time to take up a free bridge for Brownsville and possibly another between that town and Point Marion.

The brunt of the free bridge movement was borne by progressive Connellsville citizens. The fight lasted through nearly fifteen years. Repeated defeats only served to make the next engagement more aggressive and more effective; and the battle raged until the opposition was beaten down and destroyed, and the defenders of the toll-gate surrendered with dispatch and discretion.

The example of a free bridge at Connellsville has opened the way for free bridges in other communities and has thus illustrated the wisdom as well as the propriety of communities in the same county supporting each other in such public improvements instead of barking like yellow dogs at progress. One of the chief obstacles the Connellsville free bridge promoters had to overcome was jealous opposition on the part of other towns. The wisdom of the other policy is now apparent.

Connellsville was fighting for these towns as well as herself, and her voice will continue to be raised and her influence exerted for free bridges in every part of the county, to the end that every community shall be justly dealt with. The free bridge doctrine we preached in our own case we will maintain.

UNFORTUNATE INSINUATIONS.

The Uniontown Herald, whose political mission in *Fayette county* is now well understood, makes editorial allusion to "A Gentleman from Mississippi," a play which was produced in Uniontown last night, as follows:

"There was a theatrical performance in town last night. It involved the conduct of public affairs, in which honesty triumphed. It was only a play, billed as a comedy, at that. It was seen by over a thousand persons, and in that thousand there sat young society women and waitresses, bankers and miners, newspaper men and pikers, laborers and even multimillionaires. All of them loathed the villain, while they greeted the hero with salvos of applause. The vote for honesty appeared to be unanimous. As we said before it was only a play."

The play is a dramatization of the story of the same name, which was published in The Courier several months ago. The central characters in the story are an Honest Senator and a Wicked Congressman.

The insinuations of our esteemed contemporary are unfortunate.

The demand of the western railroads that the Government arbitrate the wage dispute is doubtless based upon the equitable proposition that the assumption of authority to regulate freight rates and carrying conditions imposes an obligation to regulate wages and wage conditions, in other words, that the right to regulate revenue carries with it the duty of regulating operating expenses thereto in such a manner as to insure a *fair and reasonable* return to the stockholders on their investment. The railroads are [illegible] right if this is their position.

President Taft is about to take another trip. The White House may be a Work House for him but it is evident that he refuses to regard it as a [illegible].

The new fire department starts out [illegible].

Upon receipt of the proper release papers, the County Commissioners promptly paid the Smith reward, and they paid it in cash, not in "refreshments."

Justice is making a record March [illegible].

Easter openings are not confined to the Connellsville mercantile establishments. Some of the hotels are in the business.

At the eleventh hour Senator Oliver has [illegible] the state a place in the United States Senate for which they will [illegible] thankful.

When a human specialist and a [illegible] doctor get to experimenting there's no telling what will happen.

The Burglar band has camped upon [illegible].

The Meyersdale man who went West for a [illegible] with [illegible] seems to have [illegible] too fast.

Come to think of it, D. Frank Smith was [illegible] in Connellsville but [illegible] so metropolitan that nobody [illegible] the names and characters of [illegible].

Millinery openings defy the weather and [illegible] a pocketbook.

HONOR PUPILS

Of the Tyrone Township Public Schools Last Month.

Special to The Courier.

OWENSDALE, March 17.—The report of the Upper Tyrone township public schools for the last month shows that the following pupils were present at every session of school:

Sifertown, No. 1, Claude Crutchbrook, Mary Grimmondie, Etta Greenwalt, Martha Murray, Rosie Brunns, Martha Stauffer, Fannie Scales, Margaret Albanese, Margaret Flenando.

No. 2, Webster Echard and Norman Hodkins.

South Everson, No. 1, Bessie Herrington, Albert Ritchie, Ida Ritchie, Zella Grambitch, David Connors and Charles Goptel.

No. 2, John DeHiley, Daniel Goptel, William Goptel, Mary Collins, Onu Murray and Mabel White.

McClure's, Cola Marr, Lloyd Washabaugh, Joseph Papers, Harvey Gans, John Margetchie, Curtis Mathais, Ethel Kenner, Elizabeth Rogers, Roy Ridenour, Gladys Gans, Mabel Grimm, Steve Delansky, Paul Kimmel, Albert Mathais, Henry Norman, Ella Ridenour and John Washabaugh.

Ridgeview, No. 1, Lloyd Meyers, Frank Krause, Cecelia Pfiefer.

No. 2, Charles Bradian.

Broad Ford, No. 1, Paul Stillwagon, Annie Richter, Florence McMannus, Grant McMannus, Carl Orbin, Mike Erler, Frank Erler, Joseph Bender, Arthur Keefer, Mary Putto and Lawrence Keefer.

No. 2, Charles Geishler, Newton Stillwagon, Emma Brindlinger and Mildy Stillwagon.

Tinsman, No. 1, Pearle DeWalt, Ola Miller, James Eutsey, Thomas Reese, Andin Balgoski, Paul Etling, Pete Boresky, John Vesoski, Patsy Merlan, Roberta Huntley, Agnes Rosenecker, Elmer Crone, Mike Vlaoski, Luke Boresky, Gladys Hixon, Stella Eutsey, Russell King, Randall King, Ralph Upperman and Earle Nicola.

No. 2, Ruth Murray, Louis Sobiotne, Eva Marchand, Dewey Eutsey, Wesley Gault, Ethel DeWalt, Adam Buchholt, Ralph Hixon, Margaret Burkhart and Irene DeWalt.

High School, Thomas Gault, Isaac Leichliter, Alberta Dull, William McNulty, George Stoll, I. J. Cossell and John Brindlinger.

VANDERBILT SCHOOLS.

Have Large List of Pupils Who Attended Each Day Last Month.

VANDERBILT, March 17.—The Vanderbilt schools have closed their sixth month of school with an enrollment of 215.

Pupils missing no days during the month were:

Room No. 5.—John Wilson, Clyde Coe, Mahlon Edwards, Viola Clopton, Jesse Jordan, George Moore, Willie Clopton, George Malisky, Lilburn Reed, Hugh Henderson, J. C. Beatty, Ardis Edward, Leona Laughrey.

Room No. 4.—Amelia Vickovic, Mary Shobert, Mary Strickler, Emma Pollack, Katie Maust, Lella Arison, Martha Harshman, Esther Cosgrove, Willie Beatty, Lawrence Maust, Herbert Shallenberger, Quay Herwick, Harold Arison.

Room No. 3.—Lena Shepherd, Edna Spealman, James Knox, Clarence Danner, Eva Bates, Julia Pollack, Maud Harshman, Henry Moody, Scott Rohm, Helen Whalen, George McGuire, Arthur Laughrey, Edward Pollack.

Room No. 2.—Flossie Willing, Evalena Blair, Ruth Newmyer, Mary Henderson, Helen McLaughlin, Camilla Baker, Teresa Beatty, Grace Spealman, Eddie Popovich, Frank Harlett, Ralph Wilson, Wendell Kauffman, Roosevelt Ringer, Ralph Herwick, Ralph McGuire, John Romanko.

Room No. 1.—Edgar Shallenberger, John Rombo, Albert Kauffman, Peter Pollack, Isaac Mickey, Ambrose Moxin, Charles Bailey, Albert Fuller, J. T. Ambrose, Mike Adams, Willie McGuire, Clifford Danoe, Henrietta McLaughlin, Louise Roach, Alpha Boyer, Gwendolin Edwards, Annie Beck, Annie Zenk.

NEW MEMBERS

Will Be Initiated in Order of Owls this Evening.

The Order of Owls will initiate between 25 and 30 new members at a meeting this evening. The new order was instituted two weeks ago and is already possessed of a large membership list.

As the lodge will meet this evening instead of on Friday, Studer's hall has been secured temporarily and the affair will be held there this evening.

Read the advertisements carefully for bargains.

DEATHS.

Conrad Otto.

Conrad Otto, a veteran employe of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, died this morning at 7:30 o'clock at the home of his son-in-law, Quinn L. Pore, on North Arch street, following a short illness of pneumonia. Had he lived until tomorrow he would have attained the ripe old age of 81 years. Mr. Otto had been in poor health the greater part of the winter, but was able to be about and made his last trip up street on Saturday. He had been confined to his bed since Monday and was conscious up until the time of his death. Pneumonia resulted from a severe cold which he contracted during the latter part of last week.

Deceased was born in Germany and came to this country 40 years ago, settling in Connellsville. He was a carpenter by trade and on coming to Connellsville he secured a position in the B. & O. shops. He had been on the B. & O. pension list for about 16 years. Since the death of his wife which occurred about seven years ago, Mr. Otto has made his home with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Pore. In politics he was a Democrat. He was a member of the Improved Order of Red Men and is the last of the charter members of the German Lutheran Church. Some time ago he had his letter transferred from the German Lutheran Church to the Trinity Lutheran Church.

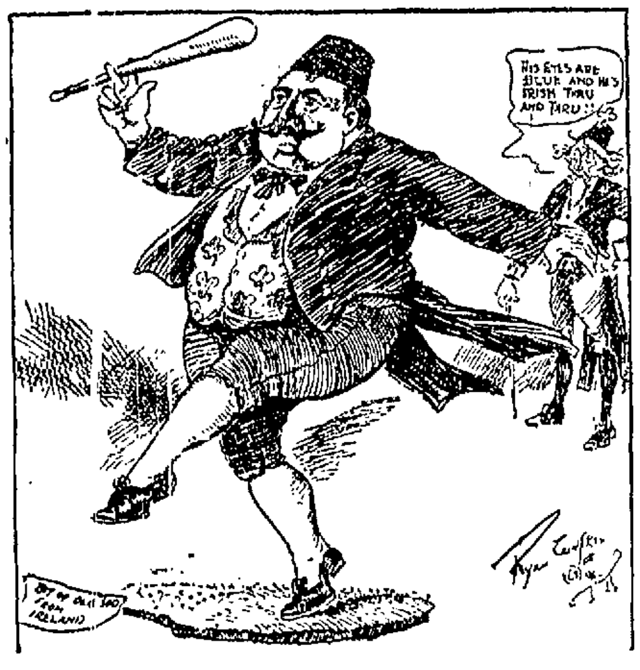
Mr. Otto was to all the older residents of Connellsville a highly respected citizen. He never missed a day walking about the town. Despite his old age his mental faculties were equal to that of a man of 60. He was a man of upright character and always had a pleasant word for all with whom he came in contact.

In addition to Mrs. Pore he is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Blackburn, and one son, Louis of Connellsville. He is survived by ten grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Funeral from the Pore residence on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. E. B. Burgess, assisted by Rev. George Dietz will officiate. Interment in Chestnut Hill Cemetery.

An Infant Dead.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Keffer died yesterday at the family residence at South Connellsville. Interment this morning in Chestnut Hill cemetery.


His eyes are blue and he's Irish thru and thru!!
Bit of ould sod from Ireland

The Irish Societies of Chicago will entertain President Taft today. He will stand on a bit of Irish soil brought over for the purpose.—News Item.

CLASSIFIED ADS. ONE CENT A WORD.

Wanted.

WANTED—ROOMERS. BELL PHONE 1134. 16mar2td

WANTED—A BUSHELMAN. APPLY DAVE COHEN, TAILOR. 16mar-tf

WANTED—A POSITION AS CHAUFFEUR; good references furnished. Address, WM. MILLER, 108 Peach street, Connellsville. 15mar5td*

WANTED—TO RENT FROM APRIL or May 1st, a house of 7 or more rooms, with modern conveniences, conveniently located on South Side. Address, 202, care The Courier. 3mar-tf

For Sale.

FOR SALE—ADVERTISING SPACE in this paper. Ask for rates.

FOR SALE CHEAP, TWO HORSES for $150. HIGH KELLY, Summit Mines, Pa. 14mar6td*

FOR SALE—ONYX FOUNTAIN, FULL outfit, good condition. GRAHAM & CO.

FOR SALE—A CARD INDEX FILING case, at a bargain. Inquire at COURIER OFFICE. 4mar-tf

FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND REbuilt typewriters at bargains. Inquire at THE COURIER OFFICE.

FOR SALE—HOUSEHOLD GOODS. Cheap to quick buyer. 109 NORTH PROSPECT STREET. 15mar3td

FOR SALE—A FULLY EQUIPPED blacksmith shop. Apply 911 MAIN STREET, West Side, Connellsville. 16mar3td*

FOR SALE—NEW SEVEN-ROOM house, all conveniences; hardwood finish. JOS. TRACY, Chestnut street, South Side. 10mar6td*

FOR SALE.—A SCINTILATING mass of grey, tan, brown, blue and black new spring woolens. "Look 'em over." DAVE COHEN, Tailor. 9

FOR SALE — AUTOMOBILES AT bargains. One Pierce-Arrow and one White Steamer. To close an estate. Apply to S. S. CLARK, First National Bank Building, or to H. P. SNYDER, Courier office, Connellsville, Pa.

FOR SALE—HATCHINGS OF EGGS, consisting of Buff Orpingtons, Wyandottes, Rhode Island Reds, Plymouth Rocks, and White Leghorns. Call on or address, WM McCUNE, Dawson, Pa.; Tri-State 'phone No. 23. 10-17-24-31mar3-17-24-31marw*

FOR SALE—FARM, NEAR FRIENDSville, Maryland, containing 65 acres. Good eight-room house, large barn and other out-buildings. Good water; shade trees; fruit of all kinds, also some timber. Will sell or trade on town property. Address, "M," Courier Office. 11mar3td*

FOR SALE.—A MODERN HOME IN Connellsville, on Cedar avenue; 150 foot frontage on Cedar avenue with depth of over 150 feet; handsome lawn, garden, stable and chicken runway; house has ten rooms and bath; gas, electricity, hot air heater, etc. At bargain, on good terms. Address or inquire of R. S. COLL, Agent, The Courier.

Money to Loan

on good first mortgages, by the PEOPLE'S BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION. Inquire of Alex R. Hood, Secretary, at the Second National Bank. 9mar4td

Hair Goods.

PUFFS, SWITCHES AND POMPADOURS made from combings or cut hair. M. E. BADER, 127 South Pittsburg street, third floor. 15mar3td*

Administrator's Notice.

ESTATE OF WILLIAM G. HUNTER, deceased. Letters of Administration on the estate of William G. Hunter, late of Connellsville Borough, Fayette County, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them, properly authenticated, for settlement. C. L. HUNTER, A. T. HUNTER, Administrators. 10-17-24-31mar-7-14apr

Executrix' Notice.

LETTERS TESTAMENTARY ON THE estate of Bernard Welker, late of the Borough of Connellsville, Fayette County, Pennsylvania, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same, to present them, properly authenticated, for settlement. MRS. SABINA WELKER, Executrix, Connellsville, Pa.

John S. Christy, Attorney, Uniontown, Pa.

Notice

IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL bills of the firm of Welker & Sons must be paid at the office at once, and all persons having claims against them will present them for payment. WELKER & SONS. 3feb6td-thurs

3 Lots For Sale!

3 (50x150 ft.) lots at Casselman, Pa.; In center of town. Bargain to quick buyer. Address,
MRS. ADA WHIPKEY,
105 QUEEN STREET,
CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

SPRING GOODS
COMING IN BY THE CARLOAD!

The Union Supply Company as usual are the first to receive new Spring goods. It is a bit early we admit, yet when the Spring weather comes, we are going to be ready. Everything seems to be early this year, Easter comes very early, March 27th, is Easter Sunday, and very naturally everybody wants to be fitted up new for Easter. You can come to our stores now and select your Easter outfit. For the women and girls we have complete stocks of new Spring dresses, shirt waists and other made up articles. We have a choice line of novelties in new Spring dress goods and a complete line of millinery. I think we can safely say that our Spring stocks excel anything we ever showed.

THERE ARE LARGE LINES
OF NEW SPRING SHOES

for men, women and children. We have the most dainty shapes for women and misses. We have them in all colors. No Easter outfit is complete without a pair of stylish shoes. For the men we also have choice lines of shoes, many new shapes and we feel the prices are a little bit lower for the same class of goods than any competitor in the region offers. Come to our stores and look at the new Spring styles, they are on exhibition now.

UNION SUPPLY COMPANY.
63 DEPARTMENT STORES,
Located in Westmoreland, Fayette, Allegheny Co.'s.

DUNN'S CASH STORES.

129, 131 and 133 N. Pittsburg Street,
CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

WEATHER FORECAST.

For Western Penna. Partly cloudy today; cooler in south portion; Friday, fair.

New Spring Ginghams

Stocks Are Now Full and Complete and Show the Newest and Most Desirable Patterns From the Eastern Market.

At 25c.—Beautiful new plaids, checks, broken bars, stripes and plain colors, showing an attractive and harmonious blending of colors that will appeal to every one. These are the well known "Anderson" make, 32 inches wide and every piece different. There's not a woman in town but will be needing new dress ginghams and this lot will afford every advantage for selection. Call and look them over while the line is complete. Price 25c

At 15c.—32 inch Dress Ginghams shown in plaids, bars and neat checks suitable for women's and children's dresses and boys' waists. They come in every desirable shade, are fast colors and very serviceable. They are good values at 15c

At 12½c—At this price we are showing the most complete line of patterns and colors in Bate's and Palmer's Dress Ginghams and Skirtings we have ever shown. All the newest and prettiest things on the market today are represented in these plaids, checks, bars, stripes and plain colors at 12½c.

Dress Goods and Trimmings

We desire to announce the arrival of our new woolen dress materials in plain and novelty weaves at all prices and an unusual attractive line of dress trimmings in the very newest novelties of the season. We have prepared for a very active season in this department and solicit an early inspection of these new arrivals.

DUNN'S CASH STORES.
CONNELLSVILLE, PA.
129, 131 and 133 N. Pittsburg Street.

HOUR SALE!

Friday, March 18, we hold another of our money saving hour sales from 2 to 4 P. M. Read the following and secure these great values which cannot be purchased at other times at these low prices.

Friday, 2 to 3 P. M., we offer Fancy Table Oil Cloth, 1¼ yds. wide, a big line of patterns to select from, for 1 hour, the yard 15c

Friday, 2 to 3 P. M., we offer Dark Green Felt Window Shades, regular size, 3x6, for one hour, each 8c

Friday, 2 to 3 P. M., we offer Oak Curtain Poles, complete with wood fixtures, for one hour, each 7c

Friday, 2 to 3 P. M., we offer Ladies' 50c and $1 Corsets, a large selection of sizes and styles, for one hour, pair 25c

Friday, 2 to 3 P. M., we offer Granite Wash Basins, large size, best quality, for one hour, each 10c

Friday, 3 to 4 P. M., we offer Reversible Smyrna Rugs with fringe, 5 feet long and 27 in. wide, a beautiful assortment of colors and patterns, for one hour, each 99c

Friday, 3 to 4 P. M., we offer Clark's Spool Cotton, any number in black or white, all one number or assorted to the dozen, the dozen 30c

Friday, 3 to 4 P. M., we offer Fine Bond and Linen Box Paper, 24 envelopes and 24 sheets paper, for one hour, box 8c

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Last of The Spring Openings That at Mace & Company's Store.

The spring openings for the week were brought to a close yesterday by that of Mace & Company. During the afternoon and evening all streets led to the spacious store. The afternoon was an ideal one and local fashion seekers as well as from surrounding towns thronged the various departments. The crowd in the evening was a record breaker. Between the hours of 7:30 and 10 o'clock every department was packed to its utmost capacity. As its predecessors the opening was a grand and enjoyable success.

The decorations were in charge of C. W. Simpson and John Crowley assisted by Mr. Mace and his efficient employes. A color scheme of green and white was handsomely carried out in the departments on the first floor. Rubber plants, palms and ferns graced the counters and ledges while the rich showing of silks and trimmings blended in perfect harmony with the decorations.

On entering the store one was attracted by the elaborate display of ladies' neckwear, gloves, silk hosiery, buckles, brooches, purses, embroideries, etc. The large display cases were used for displaying the named articles which appeal to the women. In the rear of the store is the dress goods department. Here may be found all the newest dress fabrics in the latest shades and weaves. The display of silks and trimmings was equally as large. The materials were displayed on the counters in a very effective manner.

The shoe department which is also on the first floor was stocked with a complete line of shoes. To the left of the notion and novelty department is the gents' furnishing department which was resplendent with all the latest spring and summer fashions for the men. A brilliant display of cut glass was also on exhibition.

One of the greatest attractions was the millinery department on the first floor. This department is managed by Mrs. Emma Robson. More attention than ever has been paid to millinery and never were the styles as varied and as pretty.

A fitting companion for the millinery department is the suit department located on the same floor. Suits in all colors and styles were displayed.

As heretofore the men's suit department also on the second floor was well stocked with suits made in the most correct materials and fashions for the spring and summer.

During the afternoon and evening music was furnished by Kiforle's orchestra. Carnations were distributed to the ladies as souvenirs and cigars to the men.

DAMAGE CASE ON TRIAL IN SOMERSET CIVIL COURT

Miner Suing For Damages For Injuries Received While at Work. Verdicts Rendered.

Special to The Courier.

SOMERSET, March 17.—Since the last report the following cases have been disposed of in civil court now in session here:

In the case of S. D. Livengood vs. John T. Ravenscraft, a proceeding on a judgment note where the court permitted the judgment to be opened, there was a verdict for the defendant. The amount involved was $145.

The case of Cora J. Otto against the B. & O. railroad, an action in assumpsit, was continued.

There was a verdict for the defendant in the case of the Empire Machine Company of Pittsburg against T. W. Gurley of Meyersdale, an action to recover about $600 for machinery alleged to have been sold to the defendant.

The case now on trial is an action brought by George Lewasky against the Somerset Coal Company to recover damages in $7,500 for injuries sustained by the plaintiff in the Pine Hill mine of the defendant company on April 3rd, 1907. The plaintiff alleges that he was run down by a motor at a point in the mine where there were no shelter holes provided by the company, in compliance with the law. His legs were broken, his right hip injured and he also sustained internal injuries. The case will likely occupy some time before it is given to the jury.

After Right of Way.

SOMERSET, March 17.—Several agents of the B. & O. railroad are in Somerset where it is reported that they are negotiating for the purchase of the right of way of the company for the line between Somerset and Boswell.

Taxes in Somerset County.

SOMERSET, March 17.—The annual report of the County Auditors, which was recently filed, shows that in the year 1909 the total amount of taxes collected in Somerset county was $128,477.38, and that there is outstanding and unpaid tax amounting to $47,767.58.

Easter Opening Sale!

The Easter Opening Sale Will Start Friday, March 18, and Will Last for 10 Days.

A display of everything that's new in the line of wearable merchandise. Our store is especially decorated for our Easter trade—selected styles in up-to-date Millinery, in both trimmed and untrimmed hats. For the short period of months our store has become the most famous for every woman in Connellsville and vicinity to select choice goods for the lowest price, and style and quality. We have proven to hundreds of women that our system of one price to all that we are gaining more customers every day, and our old patrons are with us since we opened up.

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A Big Variety of NEW WHITE WAISTS.

White Lawn Waists trimmed very neatly with lace and embroidery. They range in price 95c, $1.25 and $1.98. Every one of these waists are worth double the amount.

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A Big Herd Of Moose To Be Initiated

Special to The Courier.

VANDERBILT, March 17.—The Loyal Order of Moose No. 32 will at their regular meeting Friday, March 18 initiate into the secrets of the order 50 new candidates. The above class was gathered by State Organizer Fred A. Vivis of Pittsburg in the last two weeks. Organizer Vivis has succeeded in doubling the membership of the lodge within six weeks time. There will be present for the above occasion National Organizer John H. Risbeck of Pittsburg and M. L. Scanlon, Dictator of Johnstown Lodge No. 48.

The Moose of Vanderbilt stand second to none as a fraternal organization in this town and Friday night there will be one of the largest herds of candidates ever gathered at one time in the town. Entertainment and luncheon will follow the initiation and a good time can be anticipated by all who attend.

Organizer Fred A. Vivis completes his work in Vanderbilt on the above date and will leave on the 9th for his home in Johnstown to spend a few days with his friends.

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Father John's Medicine is the best remedy ever prescribed for building up the system. Not a patent medicine.

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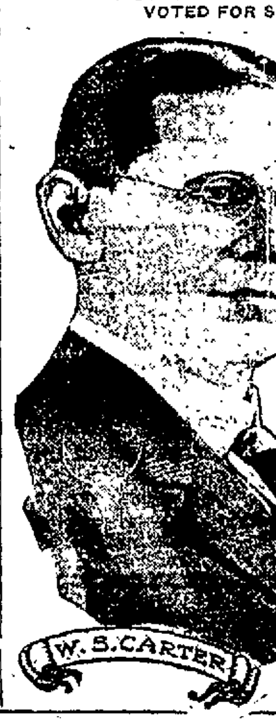

CHICAGO, March 17.—Railroads throughout the west, northwest and southwest are affected by the vote of the firemen and enginemen on switch engines to strike for higher wages and improved working conditions. At the head of the dissatisfied railroad employes is W. S. Carter, President of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen and one of the best known labor leaders in America. He has expressed the hope that the difficulties between the roads and their men may be adjusted without the necessity of a strike.

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½ lb Choice Mix Tea with large dish free	25c
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3 5c sacks Salt	10c
1 Shaker Top Glass Pepper, 10c size,	5c
1 Fancy Glass Urn of Prepared Mustard, 10c size,	5c
1 Glass Pure Jelly	10c
1 10-lb. pail Fancy Home-made Applebutter	90c
1 5-lb. pail Fancy Home-made Applebutter	50c
1 30-lb. pail Preserves	$2.25
Fine New Mackrel, medium size, each	10c
1 10-lb. pail Lake Herring	75c
3 cans Good Pink Salmon, (tall)	25c
1 can Red Salmon, tall	15c
1 can Red Salmon, flat,	18c
6 cans Oil Sardines	25c
3 cans Good String Beans	25c
1 can Fancy Yellow or Green String Beans, excellent quality,	10c
2 large cans Pond Lily Baked Beans	25c
3 large cans Rainbow Hominy	25c
1 large can Fancy Red Beets, regular 15c goods,	8c
3 cans Extra Standard Tomatoes	25c
1 can Extra Fancy Solid Pack Tomatoes	10c
3 cans Good Cream Corn	25c
2 cans Extra Fancy Cream Corn	25c
3 cans Fancy Early June Peas	25c
1 can Rainbow Blackberries, heavy syrup,	12c
1 can Fancy Lemon Cling Peaches	20c
2 cans Pineapple Chunks	25c
1 2-lb. can Fancy Grated Pineapple	25c
1 2-lb. can Fancy Sliced Pineapple	18c
1 2½-lb. can Fancy Sliced Pineapple	25c
1 can Fancy White Cherries	25c
1 can Fancy Apricots	25c
1 10c-can Strawberries	5c
3 16-oz. cans Milk, tall,	25c
6 small cans Milk	25c
1 can Syrup	10c
1 can Molasses	15c
1 2-lb. can Elmwood Plums	10c
5 lbs. Navy Beans	25c
4 lbs. Japan Rice	25c
3 lbs. Fancy Head Rice	25c
6 lbs. Carolina Broken Rice	25c
3 pkgs. Mince Meat	25c
1 25c-bottle Olives	19c
1 lb. Fancy Evaporated Raspberries	29c
1 can Green Lima Beans	12c
2 pkgs. Evaporated Apples	25c
3 pkgs. Pancake Flour	25c
6 lbs. Lump Starch	25c
1 dozen California Oranges, 150 size	25c
1 quart Cranberries	15c
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3 lbs. Raisins	25c
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100 Men's and Boys' Suits to close out at $3.50 to $8.75. Bargains in Children's Knee Pants Suits. 200 pairs of Boys' Knee Pants, sizse 5 to 16 years; regular 50c and 60c goods, per pair **41c**

HOSIERY.—Men's Heavy Wool Sox, 25c goods, per pair **20c**; Men's Heavy Mix Cotton Sox, reguar 10c goods, **4 pairs for 25c**; Children's Black Ribbed Hose, sizes 5 to 8; per pair **8c**

RUGS, OIL CLOTH AND LINOLEUM.—27x54 Axminster Rugs **$2.00**; 9x12 Tapestry Rugs, room size, **$13.50**; Best quality yard wide Oil Cloth, **28c**; **Best** quality 2-yards wide Oil Cloth, **55c**; Best "D" quality 2 yard wide Linoleum **90c.**

SHOES.—500 pairs odds and ends in Shoes, Men's, Ladies', Boys', Misses' and Children's to close out at big bargains.

UNDERSKIRTS.—50 Imitation Heatherboom and Sateen Underskirts, regular $1.25 goods, each **98c**

LACES AND EMBROIDERY.—1,000 yards regular 5c quality Val Lace, per yard **2½c**; 1,000 yards 12½c Embroidery and Inserting, per yard........ **7c**

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Through The Wall

By CLEVELAND MOFFETT

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Alice had never seemed so adorable. Then came a sudden and ominous entrance of Mother Bonneton. She eyed the visitor with frank unfriendliness and proceeded to tell him that his attentions to Alice must cease and that his visits here would henceforth be unwelcome.

In vain the poor girl protested against this breach of hospitality. Mother Bonneton held her ground grimly, declaring that she had a duty to perform and would perform it.

"What duty?" asked the American.

"A duty to M. Groener."

At this name Alice started apprehensively. Kittredge knew that she had a cousin named Groener, a woodcarver, who lived in Belgium and who came to Paris occasionally to see her and to get orders for his work.

"The last time M. Groener was here—that's about a month ago," the woman said—"he asked me and my husband to make inquiries about you and see what we could find out. And we found out things—well, just a few!"

"What things?"

"We have found out, my pretty sir, that you lived for months last year by gambling. I suppose you will deny it?"

"No," answered Kittredge in a low tone; "it's true."

"Ah! We found also that the money you made by gambling you spent with a brazen creature who"—

"Stop!" interrupted the American, and, turning to the girl, he said: "Alice, I didn't mean to go into these details. I didn't see the need of it, but"—

"I don't want to know the details," she interrupted. "I know you, Lloyd. That is enough."

She looked him in the eye trustingly, and he blinked a little.

"Plucky!" he murmured. "They're trying to queer me, and maybe they will, but I'm not going to lie about it. Listen. I came to Paris a year ago on account of a certain person. I thought I loved her, and I made a fool of myself. I gave up a good position in New York, and after I had been here awhile I went broke. So I gambled. It's pretty bad. I don't defend myself, only there's one thing I want you to know. This person was not a low woman. She was a lady."

"Huh!" grunted Mother Bonneton. "A lady! The kind of a lady who dines alone with gay young gentlemen in private rooms! Aha, we have the facts!"

The young man's eyes kindled. "No matter where she dined, I say she was a lady, and the proof of it is I—I wanted her to get a divorce and—and marry me."

"Oh!" winced Alice.

"You see what he is," triumphed the sacristan's wife—"running after a married woman."

But Kittredge went on doggedly: "You've got to hear the rest now. One day something happened that—that made me realize what an idiot I had been. So at last I decided to break away, and I did. It wasn't exactly a path of roses for me those weeks, but I stuck to it, because—because I had some one to help me"—he paused and looked tenderly at Alice—"and—well, I cut the whole thing out, gambling and all. That was six months ago."

"And the lady?" sneered Mother Bonneton. "Do you mean to tell us you haven't had anything to do with her for six months?"

"I haven't even seen her," he declared, "for more than six months."

"A likely story! Besides, what we know is enough. I shall write M. Groener tonight and tell him the facts. Meantime"— She rose and pointed to the door.

"Well," said he, facing Alice with a discouraged gesture. "I—I'd like to know why you turned me down this afternoon."

He was actually moving toward the door when the bell in the hall tinkled sharply. Mother Bonneton answered the call and returned a moment later, followed by the doorkeeper from below, a cheery little woman, who bustled in, carrying a note.

"It's for the gentleman," she explained, "from a lady waiting in a carriage. It's very important." With this she delivered a note to Kittredge and added in an exultant whisper to the sacristan's wife that the lady had given her a franc for her trouble.

"What kind of a lady?" chuckled Mother Bonneton.

"Oh, very swell," replied the doorkeeper mysteriously—"grand toilet, bare shoulders and no hat. I should think she'd take cold."

"Poor thing!" jeered the other.

Kittredge stood as if in a daze, staring at the note. He read it, then read it again. Then he crumpled it in his hand, muttering, "O God!" And his face was white.

"Goodby!" he said to Alice in extreme agitation. "I don't know what you think of this. I can't stop to explain. I—I must go at once!" And, taking up his hat and cane, he started away.

She went to him swiftly and laid a hand on his arm. "Lloyd, you must come back. You must come back tonight. It's the last thing I'll ever ask you. You need never see me again, but *you must come back tonight.*"

She stood transformed as she spoke, not pleading, but commanding and beautiful beyond words.

"It may be very late," he stammered.

"I'll wait until you come," she said simply, "no matter what time. I'll wait. But you'll surely come, Lloyd?"

He hesitated a moment and then before the power of her eyes, "I'll surely come," he promised. And a moment later he was gone.

Then the hours passed, and still Alice waited for her lover, silencing Mother Bonneton's grumblings with a look that this hard old woman had once or twice seen in the girl's face and had learned to respect. At half past 12 a carriage sounded in the quiet street, then a quick step on the stairs. Kittredge had kept his word, and there was something in the American's face, something half reckless, half appealing, that startled her.

"Well, I'm here," said Kittredge, with a queer little smile. "I couldn't come any sooner, and I can't stay."

The girl questioned him with frightened eyes. "Isn't it over yet?"

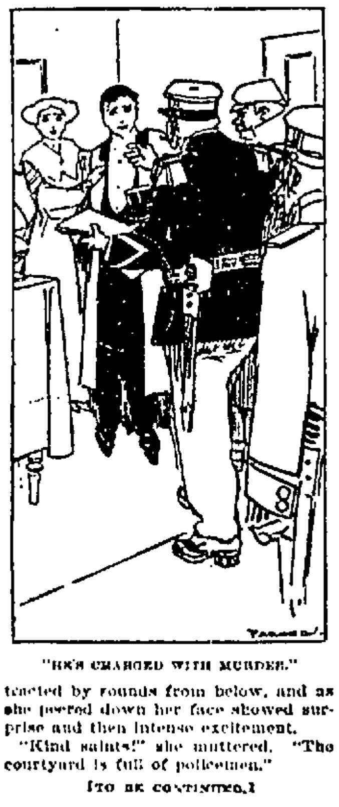
He looked at her sharply. "I don't know what you mean by 'it,' but, as a matter of fact, it hasn't begun yet."

Alice turned and said quietly, "Was the woman who came in the carriage the one you told us about?"

"Yes."

While they were talking Mother Bonneton had gone to the window, attracted by sounds from below, and as she peered down her face showed surprise and then intense excitement.

"Kind saints!" she muttered. "The courtyard is full of policemen."



"HE'S CHARGED WITH MURDER."

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THE STAGE AND THE PLAYERS.

THE SOISSON.

"A Gentleman From Mississippi."

"A Gentleman From Mississippi," a comedy that has made a record in the annals of long theatrical runs, will be shown here at the Soisson theatre this afternoon and tonight. It is the work of Harrison Rhodes and Thomas A. Wise, and is the first successful play of Washington official and social life to be staged since "The Senator" and "The Texas Steer" in 1890. Moreover, it has been described by all the New York city newspapers and the leading magazines and other periodicals as the "best American comedy since "The Senator." But it is something more than that. "The Senator" was a merry and very amusing comedy, but it lacked any special appeal not contained in nine of every ten plays that succeed with the American public. "A Gentleman From Mississippi" is different in this respect. The title role will be acted by Robert A. Fischer and that of "Bud Haines" by Hans Robert.

"Moulin Rouge Girls" Burlesque.

At the Soisson theatre tomorrow night comes "The Moulin Rouge Girls" big burlesque company with a host of pretty girls handsomely costumed and a coterie of jolly comedians, a retinue of first class vaudeville, and two brand new burlettas. The opening piece is entitled, "The Moulin Rouge Girls' Ball." The comedians are said to have fat parts, the costuming the best that money could procure; and the musical numbers the neatest and prettiest ever seen. The closing burletta is called "Paris After Dark" and is quoted as even more amusing than the opening piece. During the action of the piece several novelties will be introduced, one being "Shadows" brought direct from Paris.

"The Soul Kiss."

"The Soul Kiss" that will be at the Soisson theatre matinee and night, Saturday, March 26, carries with it the stamp of approval of all the big cities of the north and east and thus far has enjoyed a phenomenal success throughout the south. It was staged by Julian Mitchell, and unlike most musical comedy offerings, has a lively and interesting plot, which deals with an eccentric French sculptor, who is desirous of finding a kiss which is different from all others and one which comes from the soul. In his search for the maiden who possesses this remarkable kiss, he is assisted by J. Lucifer Mephisto, a thoroughly up-to-date devil, who has wagered a million dollars on the outcome.

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Anniversary Sale

We Announce a Great 10-Day Anniversary Sale

The Greatest Economizing Opportunity of the Season.

Father Time is kind to some business organizations—the deserving organization. "Time" has dealt kindly with this store. Three years ago this store wasn't much to boast of for size, stocks or service, compared to what it is today. But three years ago the spirit of the store, the aim and the methods of the store, were the same as now.

The best of merchandise at the fairest of prices, satisfaction guaranteed and the same courteous treatment to all has ever been, and ever will be our policy.

At this sale we are going to give you the biggest and best bargains you ever obtained in fresh, seasonable and desirable merchandise. We are remodeling our store, making it the most complete ready-to-wear store in Fayette county.

Every department will offer its best at prices far below regular. We have searched and scoured the market for the world's choicest wearables to stock our store in preparation for this event, and all is priced close to cost.

Consider the importance of our previous anniversary sales. This will eclipse all of them. Think of the savings you have accomplished at our past sales. Our 10-Day Anniversary Sale will make them look small by comparison. But just come—be your own judge—form your own opinions of our accomplishments. You'll vote this event our Masterpiece.

Anniversary Sale Begins Thursday, March 17, 1910.

ANNIVERSARY SUIT SALE.

AT $14.75, VALUE $18.75.—Made of all wool Panamas, Serges and Worsteds; semi-fitted, 32 and 34 inch models; new deep shawl or shape collar and cuffs; inlaid with moire or satin; plain and trimmed styles; splendidly tailored and lined with guaranteed satin; all shades and sizes; Anniversary Sale Price **$14.75**

AT $18.75, VALUE $25.00 AND $22.50.—Women's Suits, made of strictly all wool, wide wale diagonal, storm and French Serges, plain and triped Worsteds, and at least ten other fashionable Spring cloths; made in the new popular 32 and 34 inch models; with shawl, Tuxedo or shape collars; some trimmed with satin, moire braid and handsome ornaments. Peau de Cygne and guaranteed satin linings in the latest shades; also black and navy; all sizes; Anniversary Sale Price **$18.75**

Ladies' and Misses' Suits from $10.00 to $75.00

MISSES' AND JUNIORS' STORE.—The largest in Greater Connellsville shows great variety of apparel for girls, misses and juniors, including suits, coats and separate skirts, for aged 9 to 17.

Anniversary Skirt Sale.

Newest styles in pleated and tunic skirts in every desirable material in which a skirt is made; Panamas, Serges, Voiles, Mannish Worsteds, etc. Regular and extra sizes; prices range from

$3.90 to $25

(Ask to see Our Special $5.00 Skirt.)

Waists.

Fine white Lawn Waists, embroidery trimmed or plain tailored effects, all sizes from 34 to 44; Anniversary Sale Price **97c**

SPECIAL—$5.00 and $6.00 SILK LINED NET WAISTS $2.85.—Net over heavy Japanese silk, long or short sleeves; Anniversary Sale Price **$2.85**

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.

Skirts.

One lot of Skirts that sold up to $2.00; slightly soiled from handling; special price **79c**

$1.25 value, trimmed with wide flouncing of embroidery and four custers of hemstitched tucks; special **89c**

$2.00 vaue, ace and embroidery trimmed; special **1.69**

Others up to $5 at reduced prices.

$2.50 value at	$1.79
$3.50 value at	$2.89

Drawers.

25c values, with wide tucked ruffle, special **19c**

50c value, with embroidery edge; special **39c**

Nainsook Drawers with wide embroidery ruffle and tucks; $1.00 value, special for **89c**

$1.25 value for	98c
$1.50 value for	$1.19
$2.00 value for	$1.59

Corset Covers.

Corset Covers of Nainsook, trimmed with three rows of lace insertion and lace edging; 25c value; special **19c**

50c and 60c values, lace insertion and lace edge, also embroidery trimmed; special **43c**

75c value	59c
$1.00 value	83c
$1.50 value	$1.19
$2.00 value	$1.59

Combination Suits.

Corset Covers combined with short skirts, corset covers combined with drawers; special **39c**

Famous Kugal Three-Piece Garment, corset cover, drawers and skirt at reduced prices for this sale only.

Princess Slips, $2.00 values at **$1.80**

(Others up to $10.)

Corsets.

The New Models for the Spring Season.

Madame Binner	$5.00 to $25.00
R. & G.	$1.00 to $5.00
B. & J.	$1.00 to $5.00
American Beauty	$1.00 to $5.00

Announcing the opening of new Spring models. The season's exacting gowns demand a lythe willowy figure. We are showing the above makes in all the up-to-the-minute style effects; properly fitted to one of these superb models, you'll find your figure molded to an individual beauty that is simply marvelous. Come in and see.

Ladies' Brassieres at .... 50c and $1.00

Ladies' Padded Brassieres for slender figures, at **$1.00**

VERY SPECIAL.

Hosiery.

One lot of Ladies' Hose, special for this sale **9c**

One lot of Ladies' 25c Hose, special for this sale **19c**

One lot of extra good values, at .... **2 for 25c**

$1.35 and $1.50 values at 97c

Gloves.

One lot of Kid Gloves, broken sizes, at **89c**

In this lot will be found almost all shades.

Ladies' Silk Gloves, in black and white; special **43c**

Turban Crowns, net covered, at .... 25c and **50c**

Turban Coronet Braids, made to wear around the burban, at **85c**

Hundreds of Items Not Mentioned Here Will Be Found Specially Priced.

For Economy and Style, See Our Window Display.

FELDSTEIN'S.

For Economy and Style, See Our Window Display.

DOGS NOT PUT ON THE TRAIL.

Bloodhounds Brought From Fairmont to Hunt Robbers.

MAN ARRESTED IN M'KEESPORT

For This Reason Miller Brothers Did Not Need Dogs and Criminal Catchers Did Not Take Job—McCudden's Prompt Work.

SCOTTDALE, March 17.—The trio of bloodhounds brought here from Fairmont, W. Va., last evening to track the robber of Miller Brothers' store the night before did not have a chance to work. The arrest in McKeesport during the afternoon of a negro suspected of the bold burglary stopped action. The perpetrator, climbed to the roof of the three story building, cut out the skylight and dropped into the store by a rope, made a careful selection of clothing and then got out by a rope into a vacant lot next the store.

The fellow left in the store an old overcoat and replaced it with a new one. The Millers say that the coat that was left behind was one that was stolen from them a year or so ago. It shows discrimination and fine taste if the robber gets all his clothes from Miller's but it is somewhat costly to the Millers.

The coat would have been a splendid clue for the bloodhounds to have taken the trail by, but when Harris & Landes got here with their dogs on the 6 o'clock train the Millers refused to put the dogs on, saying the thief had been caught and they were satisfied.

Chief of Police Frank McCudden had been instructed by the Millers to get the bloodhounds after they had asked about them and were told what it would cost, $25 and expenses if no clew or capture was made, or $15 and expenses if a clew or capture were accomplished. In the storekeepers' refusal to allow the trail to be taken up it is probable that the town lost an opportunity to get next to some of the suspicious characters, which it might have profited the business men greatly to have known. The Millers said that if the other stores had been open they would have raised the money among the storekeepers and had the dogs put on as a deterring influence on lawless characters about town. They did not feel like paying the entire bill themselves but after talking over the matter down at the office of Justice of the Peace John C. Steiner an agreement was reached and the Millers gave the men each $5 and paid their expenses between here and Fairmont.

The dogs are splendid specimens and were the admiration of all admirers of fine bred canines. They were two Cuban and one English bloodhound, all three raised by J. A. Landes of 709 Virginia avenue, Fairmont, and have been used on a good many cases, with success. They trailed the negroes who assaulted a woman at Fairchance some time ago, and have done other good work.

It was the prompt work of Chief McCudden that resulted in the McKeesport arrest. When the robbery was reported to him he immediately telephoned to Greensburg, Mt. Pleasant, Connellsville, Uniontown, McKeesport and other towns to watch out for a thief and describing the articles missing. Within a few hours the McKeesport police telephoned that they had arrested a negro trying to sell a suit that bore the tag of M. Miller & Bro. The identity of the fellow was not known and an officer from Scottdale will go to McKeesport to get him today.

Big Chicken Meeting.

All the chicken fanciers of town and country will meet at the Borough building tomorrow evening to further consider plans for the poultry and pet stock show to be held here next season, and to go more into the details of a poultry association here. There were 20 enthusiasts present at the first meeting held a week ago, and all interested are invited tomorrow evening.

Surprised by Snow.

It was a mean trick the Weather Man played on St. Patrick by turning all the green to white last night, for people were surprised this morning to see a covering of snow on the ground. However, that did not disturb loyal Irishmen and the green was worn extensively today, many St. Patrick cards went through the postoffice, and the patron saint was well remembered.

This snow is a grand thing for the maple sap and it flowed liberally during the night. This is model weather for sugar making.

Millinery Opening.

The Brown Millinery Company on Pittsburg street, Scottdale, announce their annual Easter millinery opening Friday and Saturday, March 18 and 19. The beautifully contrasted colors and variety of styles shown in the pattern and hats designed for wear on any occasion are of greater excellence than ever. A visit to the store will be of mutual interest and profit to all.

Fixing the Street.

The West Penn Railways Company has a force of men tearing up the paving on Broadway and replacing it solidly along the rails of their line. They will do this all along Broadway where needed.

The Hens Doing Good.

Last week the low browed hens with no idea of sympathetic strikes and the way they should help the Philadelphia strikers, began to go to work, and the last few days saw lots of hen goods brought into the local stores. Eggs were marked to 28 cents a dozen.

Home Cure For Eczema.

Does it not seem strange that so many people suffer year in and year out with eczema?

A 25 cent bottle of a simple wash stops the itch and will surely convince any patient.

This wash is composed of mild and soothing oil of wintergreen mixed with thymol and glycerine, etc., and known as D. D. D. Prescription. We do not know how long the D. D. D. Laboratories will continue the 25c offer, as the remedy is regularly sold only in $1.00 bottles and has never before been put on the market on any special offers.

If you want relief tonight try a bottle at 25c on our personal recommendation.

J. C. Moore, druggist, Water street, Connellsville, Pa. 1

VANDERBILT.

VANDERBILT, March 17.—Frank Galley, who bought the Blair saddler shop some few weeks ago has moved it into his own building opposite the brick church.

Louis Vickovic was a caller in Connellsville last evening.

The Majestic Chain will meet tonight and all members are requested to be present.

Clara Myers of Connellsville, was here yesterday calling on friends.

Charles Barry has accepted a position as saddler with Frank Galley in his harness shop.

Instead of the ladies of the M. E. Church holding their chicken and waffle supper in the Commercial Hotel building they will hold it in the Jr. O. U. A. M. Hall Saturday evening, March 19. Everybody is cordially invited.

C. A. Brill of Connellsville, was here yesterday calling on the trade.

Chester Gween of Uniontown, was calling on his brother, Wright Gween, yesterday.

William Ruff and G. P. Murtrie of Dickerson Run, were here yesterday calling on friends.

William Rice of Connellsville, was a business caller here yesterday.

Cora Gillen of Dawson, was here yesterday collecting for the Bell Telephone Company.

Miss Carrie Dull was a Connellsville caller yesterday.

William Cline of McKeesport, was a business caller in Connellsville yesterday.

Alva Harshman met with a very serious accident last Friday while working around one of the tubs at the Vanderbilt Distilling Company. He slipped and fell in it scalding his left arm and left limb badly. He is getting along nicely.

William G. Oswalt of Connellsville, was a business caller here yesterday.

C. W. Rush of Connellsville, was a caller here yesterday.

The following guests were registered at the Vanderbilt Hotel yesterday: R. G. Alexis, William Cline, McKeesport; William G. Oswalt, A. P. Sarver, S. M. Showman, D. M. Zinn, C. W. Rush, Connellsville; John Durley, West Newton.

George Strickler was a business caller in Uniontown yesterday.

Patronize those who advertise in this paper.

SOISSON THEATRE.

St. Patrick's Day.

Thursday, March 17

Matinee and Night.

WM. A. BRADY AND JOS. R. GRISMER announce FIRST TIME IN THIS CITY

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Hans Robert with Robert A. Fischer and.. One Year in New York.

Prices: Matinee, 25c to 75c. Night, 25c. to $1.50.

Seat sale opens Tuesday

Soisson Theatre.

Friday, March 18th

Moulin Rouge Girls

BIG BEAUTY SHOW.

25 PEOPLE Generally Girls 25

TWO GREAT BURLESQUES.

HIGH CLASS VAUDEVILLE.

EXTRA.

THE NEW SNAKE DANCE and PARISIAN SHADOWS.

Prices 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c

Seats now on sale at theatre. Both phones

Out of Our Four-Page Circular, Full of Extraordinary Values on New Spring Goods We Are Mentioning Only These Few for Examples.

$11.75

These suits were purchased for $15 to $16 lines but we want to make sure you'll be here, we therefore offer them suits at $11.75.

79c

Ladies' White Lawn Waists, values $1.25 to $1.50. that the Philadelphia strike brought our way at a great reduction, sale price 79c.

$4.90

With style notes of $12 to $15 Hats and trimmings of $7.50 to $8 hats, these hats were made. We are not content with just selling a few it's the hundreds we count on and we sell them at $4.90.

$2.85

Silk Underskirts of guaranteed taffeta, real wide flounce, value $5, sale price $2.85.

10c

Per pair for guaranteed Hose for men, women and children.

$7.95

A low priced Suit that is an exceptional good value; its real value $10; special for this sale $7.95

KOBACKER'S.

BIG STOCK MELTS RAPIDLY UNDER QUICK SALES.

Chickerings, Knabes and Hardmans, Both in Grands and Uprights Lead in Numbers Sold; Sales on Knabe and Emerson Angelus and Hardman Autotones Are Also Very Heavy.

TWO WEEKS MORE IN WHICH TO BUY A PIANO AT COST

This is a sale that is extraordinary in many ways. It is unlike any other piano sale of which we have any knowledge.

First it is a sale of pianos, the large majority of which are the best known makes in the piano world—such as Chickerings, Knabes, Hardman's, Esteys, Knabe Angelus, Hardman Autotones, etc., etc. It is is not a sale of instruments of doubtful qualities or reputation.

Second it is not a sale where the inducements to buy is "unlimited time in which to pay." The terms of the sale are cash, though we have arranged to carry accounts at the cash prices for those desiring it for a term of eighteen months (one and a half years), the purchaser merely paying 6 per cent simple interest on unpaid balances for the time taken.

Third. It is not a sale either where a bid is made to prospective buyers on the strength of prices being "slaughtered," "pianos at half price," "bankrupt prices," or any of that sort of thing.

This is a bona fide sale, it is brought about by the consolidating or merging of our vast interests into one big, strong, compact company. The large standing stock now held by the various stores must be reduced, and it must be reduced before the consolidation takes place, which is April 1. The new company will not take over such a large stock as is now on all of our floors—collectively.

The prices we have set upon all stock eliminates profit. In other words the price on any piano on our floors throughout this entire month represents costs at the factory plus selling expenses, and no more. Or, putting it still another way, this entire month's business will be done without a single dollar's profit to us. If for instance our profit would be 10,000 dollars on this month's business, those 10,000 dollars will be saved by those who buy pianos—we will not make them. We simply want to break even. We want to reduce stock to the minimum, and are willing to sacrifice the profit to which any business house is entitled to, to do it.

As a part compensation for the sacrifice of our profits, we ask that you pay cash, or in event that this is inconvenient, to arrange to pay within eighteen months—that is all.

We also ask (which is not our usual custom) that you pay us the bare factory cost for stools and scarfs if you desire that they are included.

To better understand the scope of this sale it is only necessary to say that on Monday the 7th, we had the following pianos in stock (approximately).

1100 New Upright Pianos.
110 New Grand Pianos.
325 Slightly Used Pianos.
200 Second Hand Instruments.

These comprise the entire stock as it stands on the floors of all our stores, combined. Write for complete itemized list and schedule of prices.

W. F. Frederick Music Co.

ROOMS 4 AND 5

First National Bank Bldg. Uniontown, Pa.

Silk Sale

Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this Week.

Silks will be displayed throughout the Dry Goods Departmetn, hundreds of pieces having been bought for this event. The stock embraces a great variety of medium to good quality in the latest weaves and shades. Special prices during this sale.

Black Silks.

A complete line of Black Taffetas, Messalines, China, Cashmere de Soie, Diagonals, Crepe de Chine, Silk Cashmeres and Peau de Cashmere at prices ranging from 50c to $1.50.

SPECIALS.

$1.50 36-inch Black Taffeta ....$1.19 a yard
89c 36-inch Black Taffeta ....75c a yard

Faille Brilliant Silk.

A high luster silk fabric similar to poplin; 18 inches wide and of good weight. The colors are navy, cream, natural, pink, Copenhagen, maize, old rose, lavender and black. A 50c value for 39c.

Silk Mull 50c.

These beautiful fabrics cost less than all silk and are very serviceable. We have them in a wide variety of colors.

Brocaded Tussah in plain colors and fancies—tan with brown, blue and red dots; tan with multi-colored figures, 27 inches wide, 50c.

Brocaded Japaka in plain colors with self colored dots of various size. The colors are old rose, bright blue, maize, lavender, Copenhagen, gobelin and black, 27 inches wide, 50c.

Silk Mull 30c

A silk and cotton fabric in which the cotton is woven in with the silk in such a way as to preserve the silky appearance—the cotton adding much to the wearing qualities. The colors are plain ivory, light blue, pink, maize, old rose, Nile, Copenhagen, gray, tan, peach, gendarme, cream, navy, white and black, 27 inches wide and good weight, 30c.

39c Silk Mull.—A heavier weight than the 30c grade; the same colors and width, 39c.

Canton Diagonal.

In plain tan, lavender, light blue, Copenhagen, navy and black; a good imitation of the $1.00 all silk diagonal, 50c.

Cashmere de Soie.

A silk and cotton mixture that looks like the all silk fabric selling at $1.00. In black, white and all the wanted shades, 27 inches wide, 50c.

50c Fancy Silk 43c.

This is an all silk Taffeta, 18 inches wide, which we have in all the staple shades such as blue, brown, green, gray, black, old rose, etc., comes in three sizes shepherd checks, pin stripes, checks and bars figured and even stripes in brown and white, black and white, grey and white. This is one of the features of this sale and you will pronounce them the equal of 75c silks.

75c Silk Foulards 59c.

Another of the strong features of this sale. 22 to 24 inches wide and a most excellent value at the sale price 59c. To be had in the newest colorings and patterns and to the lady intending to purchase a foulard silk for spring this is the opportunity above all others.

Silk Foulards.

Exclusive patterns and colorings; of good weight and fine finish, 22 to 44 inches wide; 85c, $1 and $1.50

Crepe de Chine.

In black, white, garnet and all the delicate shades such as Nile green, lavender, maize, cream, pink, gray, tan and old rose; 24 inches wide, $1.00

26 Inch Taffetas $1.00

In plain colors and changeable; Shepherd's checks in blue and black; 26 inches wide, $1.00.

Cashmere de Soie.

Looks like messaline but has more body and wears better; one of the best selling fabrics we have in stock. In all staple colors and the new shades; 26 inches wide, $1.00.

36 Inch Taffetas.

Two sizes of Shepherd's checks in blue, brown and black, $1.00.

Popular Rough Weaves.

Rajah Silk in natural color with blue and brown dots; 36 inches wide, $1.00.

Torah Silk.—A splendid silk of rough weave; in all staple shades; 36 inches wide, $1.00.

26 Inch Roolah Silk.—A rough weave with highly lustrous finish; in staple colors, $1.25.

Shantungs, Diagonals, Cashmeres, etc., in widths from 26 to 36 inches, $1.00 and up.

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Men who wear these clothes employ the services of the country's expert tailors.

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We sell them at $18 and upwards—prices of ordinary good clothes.

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